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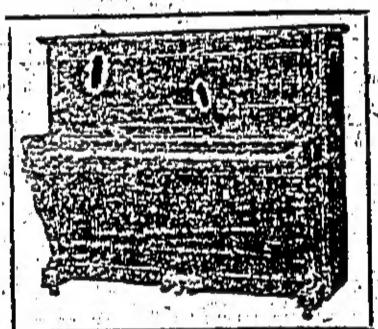
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TO-DAY'S CABLES.

Rautor's Service to the China Mail.) LEAGUE OF CIVILIZATION.

London, Jan 10.

Owing to the inability of Mr. Lloyd Cabinet has appointed the following eight o'clock this morning, and was welfering of the prominent representatives already arrived, but a number of informal conversations took place.

Mr. M. Haghes, Sir Robert, Borden the President and Mrs. Wilson arrived at the station by the Mayor, the comed at the station by the Mayor, the Robert Borden of the prominent representatives and Law Mr. Balfout, Mr. Barnes, Officers, with a Dominion panel (comprising A large growd enthusiastically cheered informal conversations took place.

Mr. W. M. Haghes, Sir Robert, Borden the Bresident, en rouse, to the Piazza (Havas)

FIRST BUSINESS OF CON-

Conference will be the settlement of the principles for the foundation of the League of Nations. Then will come to the Adriatic and the Ottoman em. pire.—[Havas]

Two vital, questions to be discussed with the Bolsheviks in Russia, and the lifting of the German blockade sufficiently so allow the feeding of the people in the eastern provinces. -[Havas]. London, Jan. 11. Cluded as the Allied Commander-in-Chief.
Viscount Chinds, the Japanese Signor Orlando and Baron Sonnino

Ambassador from London, arrives have arrived. to-morrow in Paris to take part in the Conference. - [Havas.] "

ALLIES' RUSSIAN PLANS. LONDON, Jan. 11.

At this moment the Allies have no to defeat German proceedings there. ests at the Peace Conference. cxalted principles of right and justice But they have incurred obligations to the Russian population of various aupported by the Ambassadors in London, to you the Reartfelt greeting of the districts which they occupied.—[Havas.] Paris, Rome, Madrid and Washington. people of the United States.

CHINESE BOLSHEVIKS.

. A FUNNY STORY.

and soldiers residing in Russia summoned a plenary assembly at Moscow with the help of the Bolshaviks, and passed a resolution to send revolutionary emissaries to India and China, headed, by "Vosnessenski", a Chinese "isousson dian." Haves.

GERMANY.

LONDON, Jan. 10. telegram from Berlin says official German demobilization order has been published, [Havas.]

FRENCH FLOODS STOP.

LONDON, Jan. 10. The French Ministry of Public Works has issued a note on the Seins flood, to the effect that it would probably reach its maximum on Friday morning, and that the river would then subside.

LONDON: Jan. 11. The Seine has already commenced to fall. The weather continuing dry, the danger of a serious inundation is for

the moment averted. The flood affected the Paris supplies of flour, some of the large mills having to close. It is officially stated that Paris has more than two months' supply in store. - [Havas].

YARIOUS FRENCH ITEMS.

LONDON, Jan. 11. "M. Etienre Lamy, the permanent secretary of the French Academy, is

President Wilson's plan to look over the devastated regions of France has been postponed. M. de France, the Minister to

Brussels; has been appointed High Commissioner to Constantinople. successor at Brussels will be M. Margerie, the Director of Political Affairs at the Foreign Ministry, which place in turn. is taken by M. Berthelot.

The Food Minister promises to increase the bread ration from February These entitled to 300 grammes will be allowed 400.—[Havas.]

TROUBLE IN BUENOS AIRES.

LOVDON, Jan. 11. At Buenos Aires, General Dellepiane his assumed a military dictatorship reginat strikers who have unsuccessful route to India. y attempted to capture the police headensualties. The strike is spreading throughout the Argentine. Sailors are patrolling the city. The Radicals mo-bilised 10,000 white guards to aid the

LONDON, Jan. 11. The Colonial Office announces that Sir Frederick Lugard is resigning the Governorship of Nigeria.

LIEBKNECHT KILLED?

LONDON, Jan 11. An unconfirmed report says that Liebknecht has been killed

BARLIEB TELECHAMS.

(Router's Service to the Ohina Mail.) PARIS CONFERENCE.

Daily Espitar adds that an important decision within the Dominions the house where Columbus was born and will also appear at the Conference as attended a reception as the Town Hall. London, January 10th.

An official message estates that Mr. Rome on January 3rd, President Wilson Lloyd George and Mr. Bonar Law, and said the questions of cost [indemnities?], and companied by the Brime Ministers of Your Majesty. Mr. President of the after that the settling of Russian affairs Canada, Australia, Bouth Africa, and of the Chamber, you are bestowing upon coincidentally with the Polish situation. Newfoundland, and the Maharajah of me an unprecedented honour which L Of equal urgency are questions relating Bikanir, leave for Paris to marrow morn. ing for preliminary conversations with

> PARIS, January 9th. ment of the following plenipotentiaries can people has been with the great people to the Peace Conference:—M. Clemen of Italy can, M. Pichon, M. Klotz, Minister of We have seemed no doubt indifference. Finance, M. Tardieu, and M. Cambon, ex-Ambassador as Berlin.

Paris, January 5th.

by M. Pasitch. LONDON, January 7th. intention to increase the number of Committee composed of leading Rustians was our and ledge that the people of

M. Sazonoff is expected shortly and will.

concerning the Conference is quits, in accordance with diplomatic tradition.

SHIPPING POSITION.

MORE RELEASES SHORTLY.

LONDON, January 5th. termination, of hostilities had eased, chormously, the shipping position.

The tounage available for bringing imports to the United Kingdom had increased by an equivalent of ten million tons of goods yearly. It would shortly. be possible to release, substantially, tonnage which had been requisitioned, thereby creating a free market in tonnage

and freight. The great need of the moment was coal exports, on which the whole of our shipping and financial position depends. hoped that with the release of the miners from the Army, the ships which are now compelled to go in ballast will shortly be able to take outward cargoes, thereby easing the financial situation and reducing the cost of imported supplies.

WHAT A GERMAN JOURNALIST THINKS NOW.

Benlin, January 6th.

many's policy of Alliances, M. Maxi- are united and are given a vital organimilian Harden declares that Germany's sation to which the peoples of the world rulers madly squandered the strength of will readily and gladly respond. In the nation in an attempt to maintain an other words our task is no less colossal old world system which had to be either than this, to set up a new International radically transformed or perish. "The Hapsburg system with its wiles

Turks were not to be saved. ally faulty. German diplomacy consider atmosphere gathering, that desire to do ed the friendship of the Turks as good justice, that desire to establish friendwhich Germany suffered for many years, upon right and, with this common purthrough her attempted rivalry with pose no obstacles need be formidable. British naval, supremacy, through the The only use of an obstacle is to be oversycophantic courting of the Caliph's come. favour, and through planning a land

M. Harden concludes :- "Great Britain quarters. There have been clashes in and her Allies may now stalk about as all parts of the city, with numerous all become cripples.

AN UNIMPORTANT DECLARATION.

claration of his policy which has not yet been received, but comment in the Ber-

Clomenceau's peace conditions: | endelivour and achiever The journal adds that Count Rantzau News Service | Continued on Peace this with a plainness and frankness | Continued on Peace | long lacking in German policy.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

PRESIDENT WILSON.

GENOA, January Stb.

the statue of Mazzini. President Wilson subsequently visited

NEW YORK, January 3rd Speaking at the Italian Parliament in

accept because I believe that it is extended to me as a representative of the great people for whom I speak and I am going to take this first opportunity to say how entirely the heart of the Ameri

ferent at times to look from a great distance but our hearts have never been far away. All sorts of ties have long bound the people of the United States with the people of Italy. The people of the United States knowing this people, A delegation of the new Serbian-Cros- have witnessed its sufferings, its sacritian Slovene State to the Peace Conference fices, its heroic action upon the battle-has arrived. The delegation is headed field, and we have been bound by a new tre of profound admiration. Then back of it all and through it all, running like Reuter's Agency learns that a Central the golden thread that wove it together, troops in Russia, their sole object being him been formed to watch Russian inter- Italy had gone into this war for the same.

But we cannot stand in the shadow of join the Committee as representing the But we cannot stand in the shadow of Governments sitting in the South Cau-this war without knowing there are casus and General Koltchak's Government things awaiting us which are in some senses more difficult than those we have London, Jan. 10.

The well-known revolutionary, but undertaken because while it is easy to nati-Bolshevist, M. Tchaikowski, the head speak for right and justice it is some-of the Archangel Government, has also times difficult to work them out in pracbeen invited to joingthe Committee. Tics and they will require a purity of Well informed quarters here regard the motives and disinterestedness of object Committee as a National Coalition, which which the world has never witnessed will seek to arrive at a common prowill seek to arrive at a common prowill seek to arrive at a common propromittee as a Namonal Coalition, which the world-has never witnessed
will seek to arrive at a common probefore in the Common of Nations. It is
gramme for submission to the filies, for
that reason that it seems to me that
the latter's decisions.

President Wilson has officially inform
the elements of the new situation before
ed the French Government that he wishes
to be considered, as terrelated the Peace
Conference, not as therefore of a State. The information for this way is
but as his own Princ Kimister.

A Havas message states.

The French Correct that the laceantly together under the coercion of

The French Press states that the Juctantly together under the coercion of excessive mystery surounding everything force and the guidance of intrigue. The great difficulty among such states as those of the Balkans has been that they were accessible to unscrupulous influence, that they were always being penetrated by intrigue of some sort and another and lations which were held together not by sympathy and friendship but by the coercive force of a military power. Now Sir Joseph P. Maclay, Minister of the intrigue is checked and the bands are Shipping, interviewed, said that the broken and what are we going to provide anew to cement, to hold, these people. together I They have not been accustomed

to being independent, they must not be independent. ciple as I do that it is not our privilege to say what sort of Government they should set up, but we are friends of thesa people and it is our duty as their friends is thrown around them; something supplied which will hold them together. There is only one thing that holds nations together if you exclude force and that is friendship and good-will; the only thing that binds men together friendship and by the same token the onl thing that binds nations together

friendship.

Therefore, our task at Paris is to organise the friendship of the world; to see to it that all the moral forces that psychology, to have a new real atmosphere. I am happy to say that in my and malice. Bulgaria's lust for power, dealings with the distinguished gentle-and the maladministration of the Young men who lead your nation and those who lead France and England I feel that liness, that desire to make peace rest

All that any obstacles does with brave men is not to frighten them but to chalenge them, so that it ought to be our pride to overcome everything that stands n the way. We know that there cannot be another balance of power. That has been tried and found wanting for the balanced inside itself and a weight which does not hold together cannot constitute a makeweight in the affairs of menux Therefore there must be something sub-

am happy to find everywhere in the mir. of these great nations the conception that to every peace condition which her op that thing must be a thoroughly united ponents wish to dictate.

The Tageblatt says it is urgent sidered theoretical and idealistic turns hat Clarge of the cretical and idealistic turns. that Germany should convince the out to be practical and necessary. We world of her determination loyally to stand at the opening of a new age in carry out President Wilson's peace, but which a new statesmanship will, I am refuse to accept any other especially M. confident, lift mankind to new levels of Jendelivour and achievement."-Imperial

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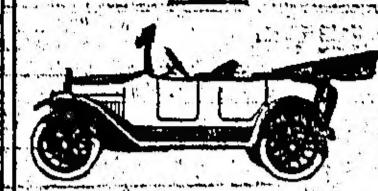
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A "DERBY SCHEME" FOR EMPLOYERS.

The Government has adopted the Roth bank scheme for a national effort to place disabled men in fitting work. The on April 21, while the warships were lying scheme, drawn up by Mr. Rothbank, a Manchester manufacturer, and pressed in Parliament with "emendations by Major Bowden, provides that each employer in appeared. In mediately search was made, the country shall register, stating how many and what kind of disabled men he Meade and Flight Lieut. Smith had can employ. There will be no compulsion save that of public opinion, but the Ministry of Labour, acting for the Ministry of Pensione, is to make a divian fishermen. Messengers were sent national register of employers and keep to convey the officers to the Sultan's resiit up to date. In a few days the Prime dence and to protect the scaplane. The Minister will appeal to employers to give officers have now arrived safely at Colors the scheme a start.

PROFIT FROM DEFEAT.

In a letter to the "Times." Dr. A. Shadwell says; Eight days before the evacuation of Lille Germans went from French and Belgisns with commodities which they have taken care, in victory to prevent the French and Belgians from making for themselves. It is an ingenious plan for snatching economic adv tage from military failure and still upholding the great cause of Deutschland uber Alles. There is no sign of chasten ing here. But perhaps the new Government, which must have their chance will-have something to say in this matter. It will be a test of sincerity, S

THE CROWNING JOY.

One little girl will always remember with special reason the 11th of November. of about 14. She was given " The Day. off, and saked pext morning how she Then I had a ride on top of a taxi after that I got astride a horse down the Strand, climbed a lamppost, and shoo

A SEAPLANE AT THE MALDIYES.

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One of the westims of the Russian revolution is the most famous copy of the Koran in the world. ... It was atolen from the public library in Petrograd and its whereabouts is now an absolute mystery. Speaking of this volume of the Koran, the celebrated Russian scholar Professor S. F. Oldenburg said :- "The stolen Koran is unquestionably one of the most famous volumes of its kind. By Mussulmans throughout the world it was regarded as very holy. I personally have seen hundreds of worshippers of Allah walk into the public library and bow before the

book. A beautiful legend surrounds this volume—the blood spots on its covers are said to be of Mahomet himself. I don't ! know the motive that may have impelled those who stole it. I do not believe the story that Turks have stolen it, as the soviet government already had promised to return it to any properly designated body representing the Mahommedan church." Photographic copies of the volume are to be found at the library. The volume came originally from Turkey where it was presented to a number of Russian scholars as a gift to the Petrograd public library, A few days before the theft, a number of American collec-

A NEW MONARCH OF THE SEA

tors offered \$1,000,000 for it.

The Japanese newspaper ! Yorozu: calls America a new monarch of the sea. which she will be when her great navak programme: is completed. There is h considerable inconsistency between her plea for a league of nations and her zeal for haval aggrand sement and the a pellation just applied will best suit her! England who has vanquished Germany own departure. These flags must have and again they tried to advance, only to ber old rival, will have somew one been prepared some time before. So, be mown down. At last when the post- America. But from the point of view after using victory to fill their pockets tion was surrounded a Prussian officer American greatness, there can be nothing with plunder, they were ready to turn advanced bearing a white flag to invite strange in her possessing a great navy. defeat to account by helping to emphasize surrender in what must ultimately prove Referring to Secretary Daniels statement it. German manufacturers, equipped a hopeless contest. He found all the and other reports the paper expects to machine gunners but one lying dead, and lese the Pacific Ocean torn into an Amerivery pleased, in defeat, to supply the this a mere lad, Speaking in English, can neval pond and that not bufore very Furthermore one must remember that Anglo-American rivalry is not an anta gonistin rivalry. The relations between the cordon continued to pour bullets into Britain and the United States are no "closer and more wording then ever, un foundly "impressed by this magnificent ! Yorozu," to see the day when the two. not of heroism, and appear to have told will combine to make a descent on the

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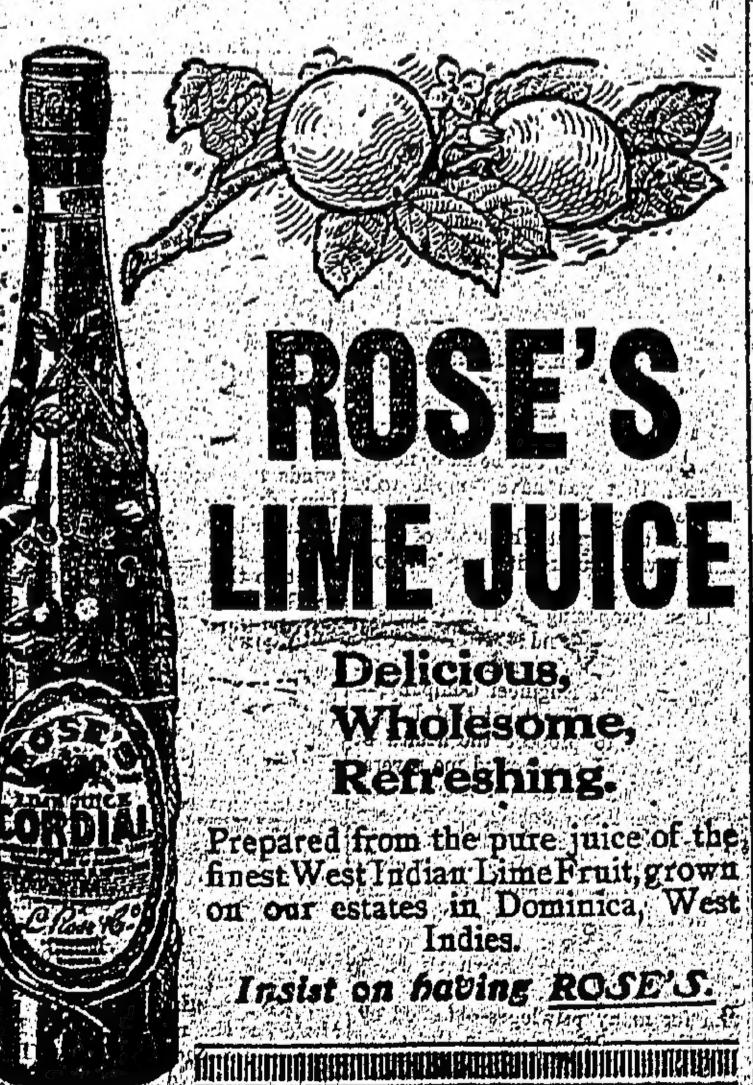
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CASUALTIES OF BELLIGER-ENTS.

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In attempting to arrive at an estimate of the loss of man power in the war, one confronts difficulties on the part of various Governments which refuse to publish casualty figures. One is eventually compelled to rely on statements of a more or less contradictory character (says a writer in the "New York Times Current History ").

Great Britain since the beginning of the war has consistently published her casualties. Her losses have been smaller than those of the other European Powers, owing to the time required to bring her full strength to bear upon the enemy. The United States has also followed the practice of publishing daily losses; therefore the figures for Great Britain and the United States as shown

in the table below are official. The nearest approach to an official statement of losses suffered by: France: during the last four years was given by Andre Tardien in an address at the Madison Avenue Baptist Church, New York City, on April 28, 1918, when he stated that the French battle losses, including killed, wounded, and captured. totalled 3,600,000 men of whom about 1,300,100 were killed outright."

France suffered tremendously in the early retreat to the Marne and later in the defence of Verdun. These and other losses, together with those suffered as a result of the German drives during last year's campaign, undoubtedly increased her total casualties considerably.

Russia was one of the greatest mortality sufferers of all the warring Powers, and the figures as given probably lean toward conservation.

Italy until recently was saved from extreme casualties through the confining of open operations to her mountain. frontiers: The great officiate of Austris along the Pinye undoubtedly increas" ed the losses of Italy to an appreciable

Belgium and Serbia, overrun by the Teutonic powers early in the war, lost heavily, but of late their armies have been comparatively inactive. Roumania, although entering the war late, suffered disastrously through German invasion. According to the German official casualty list published daily until May 10, 1916, the Germans had lost up to that date 2,822,079 men. The daily list was then succeeded by a monthly summary compiled by the British War Office from German bulletins, which gave the total

loss up to August 1, 1917, as 4,624,256, of

wounds, and 335,269 were registered as -In October, 1917, George Ledebour, the German Secialist leader, is reported to have stated during a speech in the Reichstag that Germany, during three years of war, had lost 5,000,000 men, cf which 1,500,000 were dead, Earl Ploibtreu, the German military statistician, writing in Das Neue Europa of April 22, 1918, gives the German losses up to January 1, 1918, as 4,456,981 men. His figures deal exclusively with those killed in action or taken prisoner. Using the German figures with caution, together with the Entente estimates of Germany's heavy losses this year, the totals arrived tat in the summary may be considered as

a fair approximation. In regard to Austria-Hungary, the great campaigns in the Fast during the last four years are to be considered, these having been carried on by large forces in the open, wide stretches of territory. Lack of means of communication and hospital facilities also has been a factor in increasing the total

The Teutonic casualties in Italy have been large. Their latest offensive, June-July, 1912, resulted in disaster, with an estimated casualty list of 150,000 men. Turkey has been a heavy loser, waging war on a wide sweep of front, from Gallipoli through Syris, Arabia, Mesopotamin, and Armenia, Bulgaria's losses have been comparatively small.

The figures appended do not include the enormous loss of life among the civilian population of invaded countries, though such losses were directly attributable to the war. Nor do they include lossor of life at sea. LOSSES AMONG COMBATANTS IN FOUR

(Figures estimated, except:: United States and Great Britain.) *Wounded Capturoi. Total Dead, or Missing. Casualties.

Total ... 1,978,484 6 078,489 11,052,953 Germany.. 1,812,500 4,569,820 6,382,320 A. H'gary 046 368 1,779 317 2,613,685 Turkey 182,644 370,432 553,096 Balgaria 11,324 19,118 20,462 2,970,838 6,738,717 9,709,66

Grand botals 7,948,320,12,818,188.20,782,500 wounded return to the armes; Germany claims that 85 per cents of her wounded return as combatants. †To July 2, 1918, inclusive. To July 1, 1918, (47 months).

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FOR MODERN. CATOS.

...AFTER Alexander the Great had conquered Persia, his behaviour to the beaten people was not understood by the Macedonians. Their very natural idea was that they would be His appointallowed to "rub it in." ments of Persian satraps. recfuiting of Persians for his army. and his adoption of some of the court etiquette of the defented monarch. (as some people seem to think) the English Chancel as part of the "Old convinced them that he was crazy, only war that ever happened. With One bistorian at least seems to have differences only of degree, history edepted their opinion. It is to be shows some startling parallels, from gathered from Grote that Alexander, that very patriotic old humbur Cato who is not over-praised if we call onwards. Carthage was licked, and him the Foch of his time, had got jolly well licked, but Cato wanted it what is vulgarly called "swelled- | destroyed. He was as insatiable in is, however, at least one other way of seem to-day. No one is likely to to the tramear. regarding his attitude. He may or regret Carthage. It was a rotten may not have believed the oracle of State, as full of social crime as ever Affimon, that he was the son of Jove; Germany was. It should be noted but there is no doubt that he had though, that Rome had collected some sound ideas on the subject of big indemnity before she burned the making and maintaining an empire. city and ploughed it under. The fact of the present Anglo Chinese School Hist treatment of Persia and his that Carthage held them off for three proceedings there were very like the years is also worth remembering, as Saturday evening when the Hon. Mr. attitude of the British Raj in and illustrating what even a defeated towards India. It is at least doubtful enemy, provoked to desperation, may prizes. that our people feel more vindictive towards the Huns than they did Of course this is not a plea for Consul, informs the "China Mail that Then proposing "The Guests." aroused a resentment in the hearts of more use for Germans than any the people as strong and sincers as | right-minded student of recent history our anger ut the Hannish atrocities. can have. It is not a suggestion that But in time this feeling died down, we should now "kiss and be friends." behaviour. Time passed, until we method of wiping em all out, man

to help us in the big war. All this because the British Raj had Alexandrian idea of taming an erstwhile enemy. It may be that dent Engineer, Hongkong Hotel, the way of the Romans with Carthage was a better way; but, on the other hand, there is no Roman empire still with us to prove it History is a queer study. "It is like the scriptures and the law records from it a partisan may take extracts. to support his already conceived Inspector Macdonald saw through it. judgement. From it; also, a man may take nothing at all. It would seem that there are many men who acquire no more than that. That

> Cities and thrones and powers Stand in Time's eye. Even as do the flowers

Which daily die

his is the reflection of a history loving poet, and not of the average man. Big as this great war was, it is not the Kaiser's trouble. There his hatred as here and there some

The "black hole" of Calcutta like that. The "China Mail" as do the housen passions aver perhaps lit as merely a hint to quite a number. Russian Church has not yet adopted the Chars in Council promised | proteints that there is no sense in the Indians good things for good being ridiculous. If the Old Testament ing to the Old Style British Raj holding a durhar, woman, and child, were still in vogne, an Vindjan court levee in the Indian it is possible the "China Mail" would onstom, with members of be willing. If there were a proposal that previously hated mes holding from some responsible quarter to positions of honour therest. Anon burn Berlin, to plough the ruins, and

certainty that the "China Mail would protest very strongly. But surely those people who talk as they still think that Germany is a menace, are betraying a regrettable funk ?" Germany, not unnaturally, has become a bogie. Children four bogies. Men don't "It is not true that the Hun is so very brainy that he can invent something to get him even when he is dead he may only be pretending. Strange as it may no matter what happens when the Dinner table talk will be pleasanter if this item of news, which seems to have been over-looked, be accepted and remembered.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

To-day's dollar is worth 3s 3 13-16

The Douglas steamer. "Haitan " will not sail on Friday as advortised. She is going into dock.

The sailing of the C. M. steamer Injentel "Nanking" for San Francisco has had to be postponed till noon to-morrow.

on Wednesday; commencing at 8.30 p.m.

Chinges who prefer water pipes to staircases when entering hous a. Two months.

of the local office of the P. and O. left this morning on the S.S. "Dilwars" on a short business trip to India.

A Chinese seaman of the steamer ** Chefoo" who attempted to smuggle 81 to i's of opium into the Colony was fined \$1,000, or six months. The opium was brought from Haiphong.

Sir H. W. de Sausmarsz, judge of H. R. M's Sopreme Court for Ofina has ar ived in the Colony from Shanghai for the hearing of an appeal case to be heard nezt wook.

:A Chinese from the country thought he could sam a few cirts by setting up a game of dice. The Pulice thought they could earn more by running him in. They were right. A fine of \$10 was imp sed, with 14 days' jail, failing payment.

A knifegrinder had a lodger, and asked him for the rent. He said it was overdue. I be lodger said the demand was emature. Each charge I the other with assault. The conning knifegrinder shammed to be hurt, and had himself carried to the Police Station. The scheme failed.

The Howitt-Phillips C medy Company is coming back, and will play "Peg of my Heart" on Monday night, January 20, On the two nights following we are to have "Within the Law" and "The Glad Eye." Moutries are ready to book seats. "There's, sure to be a rush.

"A local army officer on board the S. S. Dilwars this morning pointed out to a number of friends the corner on the deck where he slept when the ship conveyed his regiment across the Contemptibles."

On Fund y evening about 7.10. motor car No. 14 containing three Europe ne. and a tramear came into cullision on the steep hill running down by the Taikoo Club. It was a worder that a serious see dent did not occur, the only damage being bent mudguards on the motor or As might be expected there was no damage

St. Paul's College, is about to celebrate two interesting anniversacies—the Seventieth of its inception by the Rev. Vincent Stanton in 1849, and the 10th of the Rev. A. D. Stewart's charge are not a self-lubr cator, tions. The prize giving is fixed for next H. E. Pollo k, K.C. will address the boys and their parents and distribute the before going home.

M. Vladimir d'Oettingen, the Russian tioned by the Provisional Government

name days, etc., will be observed accord-

ON'T overstrain the fine membrane the phiegma Chamberla n'a Cough Rewe saw Indians begging to be allowed to scatter sait thereon, it a not a by all Chemists and Storekeepers.

HONGKONG DEFENCE CORPS

ENGINEER COMPANY DINNER.

There was a lively, happy time at the Hongkong Hotel on Saturday evening when the Engineer Company of the Hongkong Defence Corps entertained themselves and a number of guests in celebration of the fact that their long and strenuous

Russell) and the guests sat, was a

General F. Ventris on his left. Other of a casualty among that lot. Capt. Wahl, R.E. Capt. Buck, R.E., we have also to thank for his i Lieuts. Raworth and Bryant, R.E.; in the Company, and his kind word tains Stewart and Wood (H.K.D.C.), with him, he having been responsible The Dockyard Recreation Club are Samson (A.D.C. to the G.O.C.), out any friction either with him or holding a white drive in the Naval Yard Messis, .. G. Grimble and W. A. his staff. (Applause.) In conclud-The police caught one of those sgile sell, were Capt. James; Lieutenants N.C.Os. and Sappers for their loyal Mr., E. V. D. Par-, Superintendent present, to whom tribute was paid bers of the Engineer Company, Sergeunt White.

and appropriate design. The cover Captain Russell, Your Excellency, bore a representation of the search- Officers, N.C.Os. and men of

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King was drunk with musical hou-

Capt. Russell said :- Brother Offiformity with the introduction of the cers, Non-Commissioned Officers and I see from the Toast-list that I have honour to propose the health distinguished and enthusiastic -so doing duty for our King and country the Officer Administering the Government has certainly shown us all good example, and weilave to thank him for many privileges obtained the Engineer Company in the early part of rie war record. It would take up a great deal of time for me ter

Company since 1914, but a few so that those fortunate people refer figures us regards our gradual growth red to us Peakites would successfully would probably not be out of place, miss the last tram. (Laughter.) We started in a very humble way, do not wish to detain you any longer having only 30 N.C.Os. and men at because I could deal with the noble the beginning of the war, and, after work, that has been done by you we had carried on for nearly a year gentlemen here to-night for a very very short-handed but still increasing long time: I can assure you that in number, it was found necessary to those who know what has been done call for more workers, as we were fully appreciate the great encrifices working four nights out of seven and you have made, sometimes, many it was getting to breaking strain. nights a month, in guarding this port. After repeated efforts to get men to It is work which has been well done. out of his present mess. It is not work on the searchlights which re- come "over, Colonel Darling," R.E. It has been extremely useful work true that he is so very cumping that cently gained such high praise from and Colonel Chapman, our late Com- and the commendation published by H.E. Major-General Ventrie bad mandant, were successful in getting Major General Ventrie was thoroughup a meeting at Volunteer Headquar- ly deserved. (Applause.) Before. The arrangements which were in ters and we had the antisfaction of sit down therefore. I, on behalf of seem (especially to some Germans) he the hands of 2nd Lieut, L. J. Black. procuring about 50 recruits and 4 offiis only human. Humanly speaking, burn were perfect. Behind the long cers for the Company. This number, he is finally and hopelessly beaten, table at which the Chairman (Capt. bud to be trained as electricians and engine-drivers and turned out to be. beautifully painted cont-of-arms of good material, although scarcely any the Hongkong Defence Corns. The of them had any mechanical know. Hall was full of colour with Allied ledge up to that time. We have had officially, and he ought to know, Hage, At the two ends were minia- scarcely any reason to look behind ture search-lights, three, danger since, and at the time we closed down gnals, and a tide gouge we' we' were 250 strong and all we The Company sut down to dinner qualified to run the lights. It shortly after 8 o'clock. Capt. Rus. worth mentioning that we have sent sell, who presided, had H.E. the 50 men to the front, some of whom Officer Administering the Govern- have commissions to-day, and Tom ment on his right and H.E. Major- pleased to say that I have not heard guests were Colonel Young, R.E., Excellency Major-General Ventris

Lieut.-Col. Chapman, Major Morgan of appreciation in a recent Garrison (H. K. D. C.), Major Macdonald Order. (Applause.) With regard to (H.K.D.C.), Major Black (H.K.D.C.) Colonel Young's part in our history, Major Wakeman (H.K.D.C.). Cap- we have been most closely associated Wright and Higby for our training and discipline. (H.K.D.C.), Mr. P. P. J. Woodhouse have nothing but words of praise, as (A.D.C. to H.E. the Officer Ad- during his tenure of office we have ministering the Government). Lieut. worked harmoniously together with-Hannibal. The Engineer Company ing, I should like to express my, sin-Officers present; besides Capt: Rus- cere appreciation to all Officers, Hall, Stevenson, Brown, Templeton, support, and to thank them for their Hill, and Marley, and Second-Lieut. hard work so ungrudgingly given and

Blackburn. The R.E. Instructors, now so satisfactorily finished. Memfor their labours; in training the ask you to rise and drink to "Our Engineer Company, were C.S.M. Guests," coupled with the name of Youngs, Q.M.S. Tidey, White, and His Excellency Mr. Claud Severn Overdene, Staff-Sergt. Parsons and the Officer Administering the Govern-The menu card was of an original, Replying His Excellency said

light-station with the light illumin- Engineer Company, it is with very ing the sky, while the inside was em- great pleasure that I rise to thank bellished with sketches of engineer-tyou on behalf of the visitors here toing appurtenances. This was the night for the very kind way in which work of a member of the Royal En- you have received the toust of the gineers. The language of the menu visitors proposed by Captain Russell. was in engineering terms which to (Applause.) I am sure that all who the uninitiated was hard to under- are your guests to-night esteerd it a very great honour, to be entertained in this magnificent way by those who, for more than four years have toiled: to make this port safe from the tacks of the enemy. (Applaine.) - Q.M.S. Tipzy briefly acknowledged You are, though only perhaps tem- the compliment. porarily, members of that magnificent body of men the Royal Corps of En- ing in response to repeated calls for

brought up to certain traditions with done by the Engineer Company. regard to the Royal Engineers. We only wished to add that what he did 3.—A SUBMERSIBLE, SELF-Excited have been told that some of them are say came from the bottom of his Motor with vic E L. & T mentally deficient—(laughter)—that heart. (Applause.) He disliked belies of the islands. The stage group-

-(laughter)-while others are fol-sorrow than in anger. ... H.E. raised 4.—Hor Big Exps. with Peas in lowers of that noble, man John an uproar of laughter by delivering PARALLEL Act promptly. Do Wesley. (Renewed laughter.) In the last phrase in a shrill falsetto, not stand by to see if they will addition to those crimes we are told imitative of the manner in which cool off, but apply the neces- that when they are designing a build- Sergeant Canavan had sung a comic sary tools and tighten up at ing of more than one storey the stairs song of that name at the Smoking once. It is not always neces- are sometimes forgotten-(laughter) Concert the previous night. Note. Should a erected to withstand the more year and a half, during which,

Nurs For conducting the Sir Douglas Haig on the critical time sight, but he hoped that, in proud to even temporarily be members of such a corps and I can say from personal experience that your work has been done with thoroughness and a strict attention to duty which has sometimes caused me

possessor of a boat in which I travel because soldiering would, then,

No. 10 at Belohers or No. 2 from Stonecutters/ A voice ... No. No, not No. 9 Lam sure-(laughter) I felt myself extremely lucky shot did not come hurting past main sail. That only shows then was strict attention to duty and elt that the least recompense could give was to go round sometime spend one of those delightly periods of eix hours (laughter) see ing how the thing was done. I d afraid for the rest of my life I sh were timed with deviled incendity

the visitors, can only show our appretoast, coupled with the name of Cap- and so on, were as nearly perfect as they tuin James. (Applause.) Capt. James said that he must conless he was taken aback at having to

reply to the toast of the Company. He had had experience with two branches of the Service in the Colony, and not the least pleasurable of these was his Association with the Engineer Company. He had to thank His Excellency for the nice things by a lovely song called . God be with he had said of the Engineer Com- you while you're away." The refrains, kong, they had a finer field for good Engineering Company than most places in the world. They had here two large shipbuilding yards with staffs, who, worked properly ought to be in the Engineer Com-Similarly, there were many private engineering firms whose staffs ought to be worked into the Company. Although they had done with their duty on the lights, he though it would be a great pity if the Com pany were to die out. (Cries of "No fear."). If it were worked properly without and he did not mean the term to be offensive—too much Prissianism, the Engineer Company could be worked for the good of the Colony and the Empire as a whole. One of the outstanding facts about the Company was that most o its members had no technical knowledge whatecever when they joined, and it spoke volumes for the patience. of the R.E. instructors, attached to the Corps, that they had trained the Company to do its work, in a manner which had wone official commendation. The work in the Engineer Company had been popular because they had all felt that it was worth while, and they would always feel it has been worth while. (Applause.) He asked them to drink to the R.E. instructors, coupling the name of Q.M.S. Tidey with the toast

H.E. Major-General VENTRIS, risgineers. (Applause.) This body, the "G.O.C.," said that they had set though no "typical melodies " of like many other famous bodies, has already read in printed orders his Hawsii were beard. The ladies its traducers. We have all been approval of the magnificent work looked delicious in the "hula" skirts

Sauce, followed by rubber 'eels, others have entered the married state 'speeches, and he stood up ' more 'n

—and that when barracks are designed. Col. Young, who was next pressed DESOLESCENT PET COCK AND | ed to withstand the 'rigours 'of to make a speech, declared that he Musimoon. While the supper the climate of Hallifax, the plans are was proud to have been associated is snoring. Whashrooms are occasionally sent out and a building with the Engineer Company for a mushroom appear, take steps salubrious atmosphere " of Colombo, working the lights, they had enabled (Laughter.). But all these things are many regular soldiers to go to the 6. Curveous: The result of mix- vain slanders of those who in their Front. It had been good and useful ing space parts. Perhaps the hearts admire that magnificent Corps service to the nation, although they only chevrone you will get. ... of Engineers. - (Hear, hear.) .. I have were not in the fighting line. He did 7. Insulated Terminals and been reading lately the desputch by not know many of them even by juice" from the generating in France from the 21st March to future, they would meet together plant to the consuming device. the end of April and all through that and have some (a voice: Jollifica-HEAVY LUBRICANT .- For flush- despatch over and over again occurs tion ') jollification (laughter) - on ing purposes after shutting a tribute to the magnificent work the hills near by. He could not say down, especially suitable for which the Corps of Engineers did. much as to the future for fear. (Cheers.)" Well, I say you should be might be thought that he was speaking officially. There were two ideas in regard to the future of the Corps. One was that the Hongkong Defence. Corps should be all infantry, the technical work being left to the regulars. The other idea was that they moments of great anxiety. I am the should all be artillery and engineers, over the seas surrounding the Colony take up a part of their time, as it the show. a good deal and it has sometime been was more difficult to train; and took my misfortune through adverse a longer time to train; infantry than winds to approach the port of Hong- artillery. These, of course, were two kong during the war after what may opposite views, and nobody knew be described as closing time. (Laugh- what was going to be done. It de-I know my mental anxiety as pended upon the policy of the Em-I got to that imaginary line bounded pire as regards the size of the Army. by Green Island and by the end of Whatever the status of the Corps Stonecutters (laughter) and the might be, he hoped that the existing strength would be maintained few remarks, said that time after time papers had come round saying they wanted more men and yet more for the Engineers, and where were they to come from except from h

infantry battalion. In fact, things had come to such a puss that he ha to get the permission of H.E. Governor to detail the men for th better to dettil them than to have the work done by infantrymen, becouse, whereas a trained engineer could take up duty after two days looking into things, it needed at least I am told thus those periods three months truining for an in-

MUSIC AND LAUGHTER.

EDGAR WARWICK'S COMPANY OPENS WELL.

Edger Warwick may call his show what he pleason. He may call le "Vanity Bair." or Revusi a - Comedy. This really musical comedy without a plot or continuing thread. It is music of the bost, and there is more music than comedy. It is a continuous performance, one good turn deserving another, and getting if. Any man who says he wasn't satisfied in like "the dew on the

chorus to the 22nd item, there was no ciation of your bospitality to us to stage wair. This is the place to mention night and the work which you have that the voices are of unusually good. done, by proposing the toast to Cap- quality. There was pone of that tain Russell, your commander, Offi- rasping tone so common in vandeville. cers, N.C.Os. and men of the En- There were two complete changes of gineer. Company . I call upon your costume, the first being especially charmguests to-night to rise and drink this ing; and the stagement, tableaux;

gowan. From the swinging opening

could be. A funny part-song about "Looks," by the men, was followed by a "wibblywobbly chorus by the ladies. Then two come dians tried to be fanny, but didn't quite succeed, don't you know,

Miss Madge Griffith has a rich voice, full of colour, which did the right thing He thought that, in Hong- joined in by four voices blending nicely, made real music, and the audience asked for a repetition.

Miss Eileen Boyd and George Titchener sang a duet about old and new ways of "proposing", also of robbing, and then danced off.

Another high class item was the Alabama Jubilea in which Miss Shirley Cooks's sweet soprano, to say nothing of her excellent planeforts playing, enraptured the house. Being encored. she gave us a clever sobbing song, containing this wise sentiment :

You'll find, as this life you travel You'll get heaps of lickings for things

After that the funny men did some more fooling with George, singing tongue-twisting conundrums at him. Qui e a lot of people laughed.

Then more good music, in "The Belis of St. Mary's," by three ladies and three gentlemen. It was very moving and pleasant, and was encored.

Leslie Holmes now managed to be truly funny, in a song about "a chip of the old block," and the "business." therowith. He is a clever mimic. This item had an encore and he returned to tell stories, some of which we had heard before. No matter, he kept the house rearing, until he wound up with those different ways of reciting the charge of the Light Brigade." That didn't go well. He had better cut it out. Besides, he didn't do it right.

"Pacific Memories" was a charming of grass, and the floral "leis." It is no flattery to say that they looked more attractive even than the soft-eyed ing was smartly and effectively done. and the music was good, of its sort. It was regtime. Not Hawaiian.

After the interval, they opened with quite a funny turn, a burlesque of grand opera introducing more or less appropriste popular sirs, all in a cafe with a funny waiter. It was worth the money. to see how that waiter opens a bottle of champagne. He is sure of a job in Hongkong, if he wants one, owing to his knack of "camouflaging" flat wine. A musical melange, very tuneful, and with good fooling. It included a pleasant song called "Bubbles," and a remarkably fine exhibition of dancing by Vera Pain. This was encored.

A very fine song in a ditto voice was George Graystone's. He sang of "Captain John. McPherson of the steamer Ben Machree," and being deservedly encored. gave us Henley's gallant poem, "Captain of my soul" in a suitable setting. After a "potted farcical comedy," well done, but with a stale plot, there was a nice song about the Fairy Moon, and a rather clever item called "opera turned to ragtime." Verdi protesting from one of the boxes.

There was a male "duet towards the end of which some people disapproved. Nothing outrageous, but some of the The theatra seemed to be completely filled: and comments overheard on the stairs indicated general satisfaction with

was perfectly willing to let his men. off. because the work on the lights was far more important to the defence of the Colony than the training of infantrymen. Now the work on the lights had ceased, how many, ne wondered, were going to stay on the Corps. He hoped all. Recently be had had several chite from his men asking for transfers to the Engineer Company Why 2 Because perhaps, they thought they would have less. to do. He wanted all these men who had been transferred to the Engineer Company to come back - (A voice ? We want them, " The Engineers could have bhom back again if the necessity arose. He thanked them all for the cordial reception they had given him. (Applause.) During the evening Messrs. Gray

Bamsey Anderson and Hanentertained, the gathering Mr. George Grimble playing the accompaniments. The happy gathers

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Continued from Page I.) BRITAIN'S NEW INDUSTRIES.

LONDON, January 5th. Mr. F. G. Kellaway, Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Munitions, interviewed by the Observer, said that the war had led to the establishment of new industries in the United Kingdom, and whad immensely strengthened dozens of

For example, in 1914, only one firm in turned the tide in favour of the Club, this decision not finding favour with the United Kingdom was producing and from a score of 1-1, it was quickly the R.G.A. The end came with no magnetos, and their output in 1913 and 3-1 in favour of the Club. The Chinese -1914 was 2,114 magnetos of a simple type. were very unlucky in the matter of the Now, 14 firms were producing 128,637 penalty, as the incident appeared magnetos yearly.

The quality of the present British magneto is the highest in the world. It is lighter, and more reliable than either the pre-war German magneto or the latest examples of German magnetos. " Before the war three firms in the United Club going to the head of the league Kingdom, were making sparking plugs with a lead of one point. and the total turned out in 1914 was not

31st was 2,148,727. The British plug to the closing stages of the play, and day is the best in the world. We are accidents to their players very early in making for ourselves, and even export- the game. Quite likely MeNiven never ing. very many more things, which we properly recovered from the accidental

used to import before the war. During the war we regained control of did well to draw, and by doing so did many invaluable sources of raw material, the Club a good service. which we had allowed to slip into the hands of Germany, and we shall retain

British industry is awake now, as never before, and is rapidly occupying fresh

TO PUNISH THE WORST HUNS.

PROCEEDINGS AGAINST WILHELM.

London, January 9th. Since its appointment two months ago, the British Committee of Enquiry, (of which Sir John Mucdonell is Chairman) into breaches of the laws of war, has done a great deal of work through the Sub-Committees appointed to deal with

the matter under various heads, Thus, the Sub-Committee on law has already submitted an interim report on the jurisdiction of the Tribunal to be unfit to play. "Play started with the established, and kindred matters. It has Club in the ascendant, their forwards also submitted a special report conveying being very aggressive, the spectators in the unanimous conclusion that it is the stand being very gratified when the desirable to take proceedings against the first score came after a few minutes

ex-Kaiser. known criminal barrister. Mr. C. F. Gill, ! the net, leaving the goalie helpless. With have also been consulted in connection this early success the Club were spurred

with the matter. been very heavy as it "had to deal with was grand in desence, and assisted by the ill-treatment of prisoners and their Fung Tai kept out the Club forwards employment behind the enemy firing line, and put their own in possession. All the employment of illegal methods of the spectators were amused at the antics warfare, the abuse of the Red Cross flag, of Au Kit Sang in his encounters with the bombardment of hospitals, and the Black, in the course of which the burly execution of Nurse Cavell and Capt. back did not always come off best

A third sub-Committee has dealt with take the opportunity presented offences at sea and in the air, including Stewart cleared temporarily, and later the destruction of merchantmen, the firing, Au Kit Sang shot high over when in s on ships and crews after the destruction good position. The Club forwads next of their vessels and the sinking of hos-

fourth sub-Committee has examined the indiscriminate bombardment of shot that the Chinese goalie was able to towns, and the wilful and reckless de- get rid of. Chassels and Stewart were, struction of hospitals.

mass of evidence to examine before issu- found the Club halves difficult to ing final reports dealing with the charges circumvent. Halftime arrived with the to be preferred and the degree of respon- score sheet :-sibility attaching, prima facie, to indivi-

Although the final conclusions may not therefore be reached, for some months, evenly contested, with little advantage "the present interim report says it must to either. Fung Tai and Loung Fuk University 7 1 6 0 2 22 not be assumed that practical steps have. Tong in their eagerness to clear the not been taken to secure the arrest of the offenders. . .

LAST OF THE TURKS.

The Turkish garrison in Arabia have

Pasha is still holding out. The Turkish Government have been informed that unless the conditions of the pletely beaten, but there was a suspicion Armistice in this particular instance is complied with, the Dardanelles' forts will

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DOCKYARD XMAS TREE AND DANCE.

The Naval Theatre presented an animated appearance on Saturday afternoon, the occasion being the annual party and Xmas Tree given by the Naval Dockyard Officers to the children of the European employees. Among the Dockyard officials and ladies present were Commodore V. G. Gurner, R.N., Mrs. and Miss. Gurner, Mr. and Mrs. Atholl Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. G. Kennett, Rev. F.G.B. Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Long, and others.

There were a number of special attractions for the children, the usual Xmas Tree, a chute was fixed up, which was a source of joy, the see-saw, very popular, and other means of keeping the children happy. Tea was taken at 4 p.m., which was all to be desired in this way, all arrangements for tea being made by a committee of ladies to whom great credit and much thanks are due. These ladies also arranged the tree, which, electrically lighted, presented a very pretty appearance. After tea a programme of music was gone through and much enjoyed, especially the item in which several of the youngest children

Unloading the tree keenly interested the children, and the cloak of Father Christmas enveloped the form of Mr. S. Northcott, who was splendid in this role, and he distributed the toys to the children. The party dispersed a little after six, the children tired after a strenuous afternoon but happy withal. In the evening the Dockvard Club held a dance at which nearly 100 people took part, and an enjoyable evening was spent, dancing being carried on until 11:30 p.m. Mr Budden was the

M.C., and he did these duties very

efficiently.

SATURDAY'S RESULTS.

CLUB HEAD H.K. LEIGUE

Except for a capital game on the Club ground, foetball provided poor cheer on Saturday. The Club were three goals to one, although they were "Hands" against the Chinese in the penalty at the psychological moment

This result improves the Club's position in the league, as will be seen from the league table, the Navy only University team in this game on the sharing the points with the R.G.A., the

To-day five firms are producing plugs. of McNiven to score from a penalty, The output for the year ended October the narrow escapes of the Navy goal in "knock out" he received. The R.G.A.

> Athletic Reserves defeated a weak University team, the Navy Reserves only just managed a win against the 38th Co. R.G.A., and the 83rd Co. R.G. A. failed to put in an appearance. Reports of the matches follow:-

HONGKONG LEAGUE.

1st. DIVISION.

On the Club ground the home team had the services of Rodger for the first time this season but were without one of their best forwards, McTavish being Mr. Justice Petersen and the well-wards goal, and following up, shot into "The work of a second Committee has to further efforts but Cheong Win Hou The Committee has dealt with McCubbin and Carriere nearly made a 100,000 cases, but 150,000 cases still re- mess of things close to the goal, but the Chinese centre, a reserve, was unable to came into the limelight, and following a centre by Jennings, Riis sent in a fine the chief stumbling blocks to the All" the Committees have still a large Chinese, and tricky as these were they

H.E.F.C., 1; SOUTH CHINA, O.

Play early in the second half was very ball from goal kicked simultaneously with the result that the latter left terra firma for a brief space. The cleverest piece of play during the whole game ollowed. Cheong Win Hon with a well-placed kick gave his right winger laid down their arms, with the exception, well-placed kick gave his right winger of the garrison at Medina, where Fakhri possession, who passed across to the centre forward. Tin Koon next received, and his shot had Rodger comof offside about Tin Koon. However, this brought the scores level, and after Clarke had been bested twice by Cheong Win Hon, Fung Tai in attempting to programme, this being supplied by the clear kicked the ball against his own string band of the S. S. "Venezuela! hand. This looked purely accidental and took place a few inches inches inside FUNERAL OF MR. J. ELLIOTT. the penalty area. The referee instantly whistled and pointed to the penalty . The funeral took place at Happ spot, and Reichelmann scored with a Valley yesterday evening of Mr. J. fast shot. Further disaster followed Elliott, I Superintendent Engineer of for the Chinese, Clarke breaking the Hongkong Hotel whose death was through and shooting hard for goal, but recorded in Saturday's "China Mail the Chinese custodian was able to get (last edition). The Rev. J. Kirk across his goal and hit the ball against Maconachie officiated at the graveside the post, whence it bounced back across and there were present a number of goal and to safety for the time being, friends of the deceased. Among these The next time the Chinese were not so were Sir Eilis Kadoorie; Mesers, A. O. fortunate, as Clarke fastened on a Lang, E. Maitland, R. M. Dyer, C. S. centre from Riis and this time made no Gubbay, H. P. Smith, Capt. T. P. Hall, mistake, sending a hard shot into the Capt. B. Branch, Lieut. Hall, Mr. W. net at close range. Clarke almost C. Jack, Mr. T. W. Robertson, Mr. J scored again before the whistle sounded H. Jaggart and Mr. N. H. Beaurepaire. time. Result :-

H.K.F.C., 3; South China Athletic, 1.

NAVY AND R.G.A. DRAW. The Navy were unlucky indeed in the early part of this match, Crocker in punching away a shot received a knock in the region of the stomach, that was obviously very painful to him, and McNiven in a valiant rush on the R.G.A. goal being completely knocked out for a in mechanical engineering and experifew minutes. Having survived these strokes of ill fortune, the Navy proceeded to try for the goals essential for the award of the two points at stake. McNiven as the Navy sharpshooter, found Talfourd and Torr waiting for him at every turn, and the centre bad few chances. The breakaways of the soldiers were not so frequent, but they spelt danger every time, and when in the Crry Hall, on TUESDAY, Janu-Green and Middleton were anywhere ary 21st, at 12 oclock Noon. near him, Crocker had many anxious moments in the Navy goal. However the gunners were not first class shots and shot rather badly, as did Warrener for the Navy, while McNiven missed and bowels. If you are troubled with one good chance when he shot wide. heartburn, indigestion or constipation Half-time arrived with a blank score they will do you good. For sale by all

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Navy's favour. It was very mortifying to the Navy's supporters when McNiven THE failed to convert a penalty kick, his shot going straight into Taylor's arms. After surviving shots from Warrener, McNiven, and Travers, during which time Taylor played finely in the R.G.A. goal, Green and his fellow forwards made rather fortunate to win by as many as things hot for the Navy defence, and Offices of Messrs, Jardine Matheson' & Crocker running out to meet Green; the more effective team near goal thus saved what seemed about to be a sure goal. Morrie also locked likely to score when whistled offside,

The second half was almost a repetit-

ion of the first, chances being missed by

both sides, play being a little in the

score. Result :--Navy, 0; R.G.A., 0.

SOUTH CHINA RES. Y. UNIVERSITY. South China overwhelmed the weak Club ground, and it was miraculous the number of times the University goal escaped defeat. The Chinese scored The chief items of interest in the only once in each half, the goal scored Navy-R.G.A. match were the failure in the second half being a wonderful shot from their right halfback, from the

touchline, following a throw in-

Result:-

2ND DIVISION.

South China Res., 2; University, 0. NAVY RESERVES DEFEAT 88TH R.G.A. The Navy Reserves managed to keep within distance of St. Joseph's College, the league leaders, by winning this match on the Naval ground. They re-In the 2nd Division, South China ceived a shock when the soldiers scored the first goal, Moss netting the ball, but before the interval the scores were brought level, "Lifton "scoring for the Navy. In the second half Goldsmith scored the winning goal for the Navy, who thus won by a goal. Result:-

Navy Reserves, 2; 88th Co. R.G.A. 1. ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE AND 83RD CO.

The soldiers failed to put in an appearance to play this match, it being understood they were unable to raise a team, and relinquish, the points to St.

The league tables for all the football competitions, including the matches played on Saturday, but excluding the Joseph's-83rd Co. R.C.A. match, are appended:-

LEAGUE TABLES.

Positions of the teams to date.

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VICTORIA THEATRE.

There have been good houses at Victoria Theatre during the week-end, the special attraction being the first epoch of the film, "The Count Monte Cristo," "It is an interesting film and easily ranks among the best films which have been thewn in the Colony. It is a true adaptation of the famous novel by Alexandre Dumas. The music was a pleasing part of the

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THE GENERAL MANAGERS. Hongkon, January 13, 1919.

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Secretary,

Hongkong, January 13, 1919.

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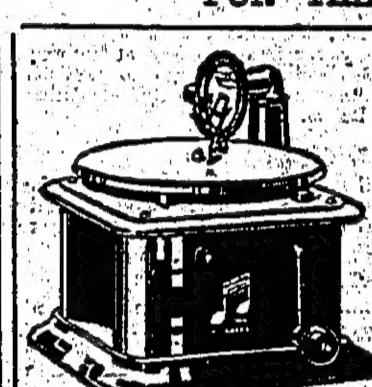
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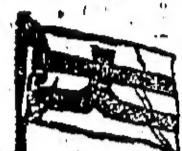
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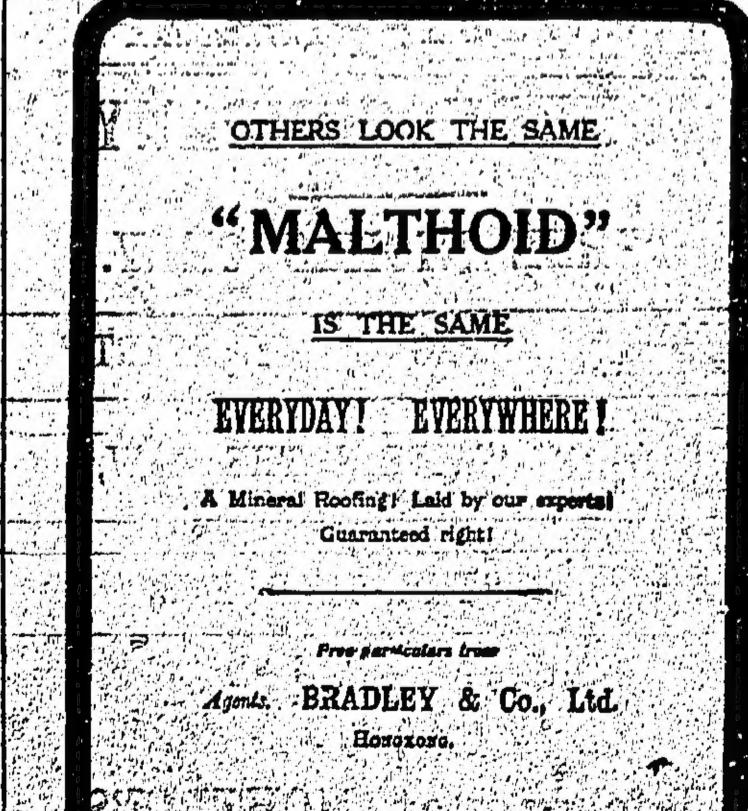
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STRANGE ADVENTURE IN OSAKA

To set sail across Osaka Bay and be landed at Honolulu was the experience strange and rare which beiel two Japanese recently. A sailing ship; the "Shin! ko-maru, owned by Yamada Hichinosuke. Furuza-murs, Higashimuro-gan, Wakayama-ken, foundered off Kishu 'on' the 24th of October last, in a storm. while on her way from Osaka to the Yura

The two men on board, Miznguchi: Torazo and Kaino Takeichi, were rescued By an American transport and taken as far as Honolulu, where they were handed over to the Japanese Consul.

They have just returned by the "Kiyo" maru, and the Water Police saw them. safely back to their homes. The damage through the loss of the "Shinkd-maru." which had on board 50 cases of kerosene, 7-cases of rape-seed oil and 2 cases, of sake, is put at Y5,000.

N.Y.E. AND O.S.K. REBATE CONVENTION...

As already mentioned, the Nippon Yuen . Kaishn and the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liave entered into an agreement with regard to the granting of a rebate on their South African and South American services. This agreement is to become operative from January Ist. The rebate is to be granted only to those shippers who ship by N:Y.Kir or O.S.K. vessels consistently without putting their cargo on any other steamers. Five per cent. of all freights will be reimbursed Ito such on July 1st and another 5 per cent, on January 1st. . It is believed that the object of the convention is to protect the interest of the two steamship comparies against competition from other companies after the warr. The Nippon Yusen Kaisha will carry the agreement into effect beginning with the "Hakata" maru, sailing on January 20, and the Osaka-Shosen Kaisha with the "Panamamanr. or the Sumstra maru.

JAPANESE: SHIPPING METHODS.

The following is a translation from "El Universal," a daily of Mexico City. submitted to Washington in October by the American Consulate-General there The Mexican Department of Communications and Public Works has approved a contract with Mr. Toshio Onodera, representative of a large Japanese navigation company, to establish . line of steamers on the Pacific coast.

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The Prefectural authorities of Hiroshime propose to impose a tax on shipbuilding per ton of vessels built as s means of increasing the revenue of the Prefecture. This proposal is meeting with opposition from whipbuilders throughout the country as being calculsted to interfere with the development the shipbuilding industry. A formal movement to oppose the proposal wasstarted on December 20, and passed this tollowing resolution :-

Shipbullding is of national importance, forming us it does the backbone of overseas trade, and all countries are doing their best to develop this industry. Wa have accordingly been taking steps to memorialise the Government on the necessity of taking special measures for the encouragement of the shipbuilding industry. Now our attention has been drawn to a proposal in Hiroshims, Profecture to impose a tax on shipbuilding: Such a proposal was the last thing wo should have expected, and we cannot pass it unnoticed as merely a matter of local character. We hereby declare that we are absolutely opposed to the proposed imposition of a tax on shipbuilding, which obviously runs counter to the interests of the nation.



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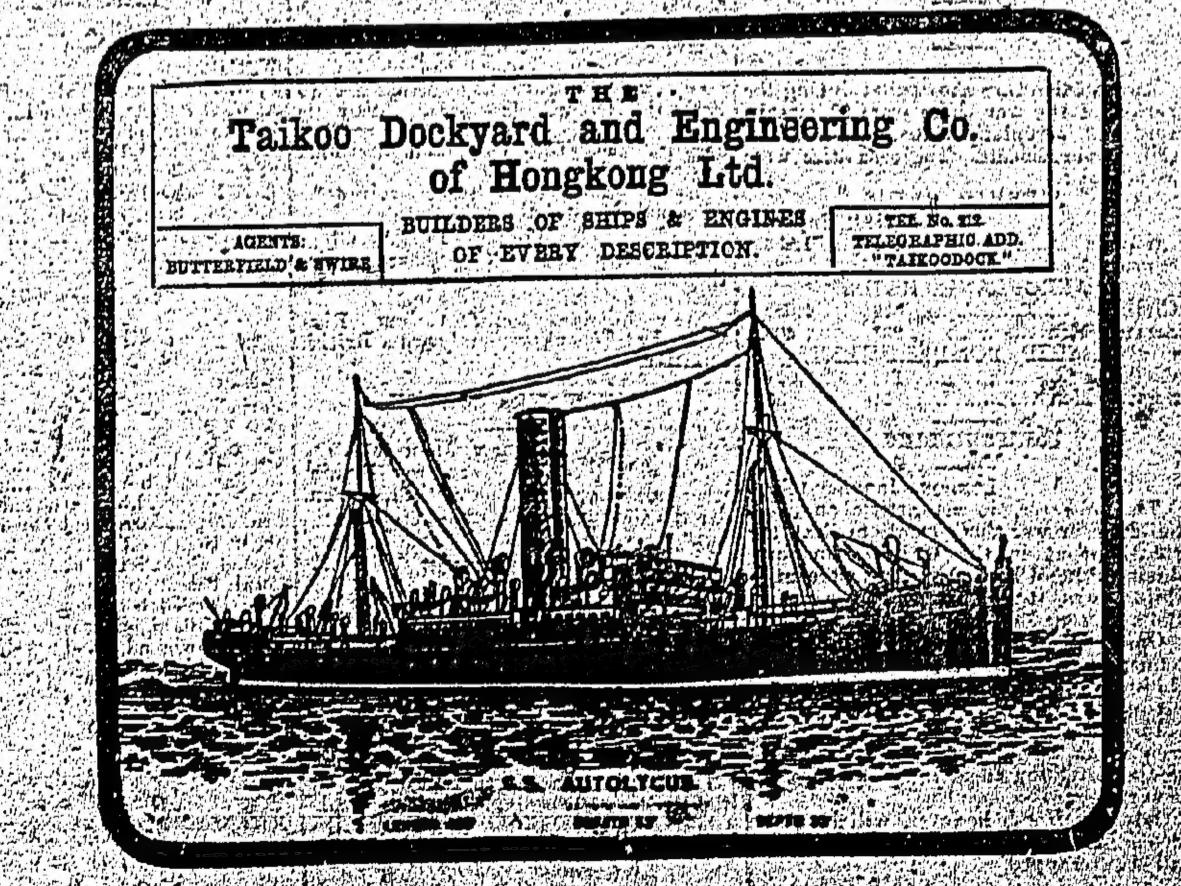
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BARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Britis a Berole) to the China Mail.) (Continued from Page 5.)

NEW CABINET.

OLD GANG.

London, January 16th. The following are some of the appointments in the new Cabinet. The first portion of Reuter's message has not yet

War Minister and Air Minister .- Mr. Winston Churchill

Under Secretary at the War Office. Viscount Peal. Fisancial Secretary.-Mr.

Under Scorttary of the Air Menistry and Vice-President of the Air Couned .- Major General Beelv. Secretary for India,-Mr. E. S. Mon-Under-Secretary for India.—Sir S. P.

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miralty.-Mr. T. J. Macnamara. President of the Board of Trade .- Sir Albert Stanley. Parliamentary Under Secretary of the

poure of treas.—Mr. W. C. Bridge. Head of the Department of Overseas Trade. Development, and. gence.-Mr. Steel Maitland. Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs .-

Mr. Steel Maitland Parliamentary Secretary of the Board af. Trade-Mr. Steel Maitland

President of the Local Government Board.—Dr. C. Addison. Parliamentary Secretary of the Local Government Board.—Mr. Stephen

President of the Board of Agriculture .-Mr. H. E. Prothero. Parliamentary Secretary of the Board of Agriculture.-Mr. Griffiths Boschwen. President of the Board of Education .-

of Education. - Mr. Herbert Lewis. | Allies are now supplying arms. Minister of Supply (in place of Minister of Munitions).-Mr. Andrew

Joint Parliamentary Secretaries of the Ministry of Supply.—Mr. F. Kellaway and Major J. L. Baird. ood Controller .- Mr. G. H. Roberts. Minister of Shipping.—Sir Joseph

Parliamentary Secretary of the Minis-Wison. Shipping.—Colonel: Leslie

TROUBLE FOR G. N. BARNES. LONDON, January 9th. It: is' reliably stated that the Prime Minister has offered posts in the newly completed Ministry to-night, but the official anocuncement- regarding their acceptances will not be made, at carliest,

before to-morrow avening. The changes in personnel will be few but the changes in office are

It is authoritatively forecasted that Mr. Bonse Law will be a Minister with out a portfolio, in order to devote himself to the leadership of the House: Mr. Winston Churchill will go to the

Wari Office: Lord Milner to the Colonial Office: Mr. Walter Long will become Firs Lord of the Admiralty;

Sir Eric Geddes, will devote himself to Transport, and Demobilisation; Mr. E. Shortt will be Home Secretary; Minister: while Mr. G. N. Barnes' name is mentioned as Irish Scoretary......

A PARTYLESS PARTY LEADER. CONTRACTOR LONDON, January 8th. members of the Government resigned. Daily Mail, have agreed to accept posts

Barnes, Mr. G. H. Roberts, Mr. G. The last three will probably be given Under-Secretaryships. Admiral Sir David Beatty has expressed

his willingness to become First Sea Lord of the Admiralty. Mr. His Ha Asquith has definitely fused a peerage, intending to remain the

leader of the Liberal Party. STOCK EXCHANGE.

LONDON. January 7th.

The London Stock Exchange passed a offers to speed up release. new rule whereby no member shall without the Committee's special permission, employ in any capacity any person of Austrian, Hungarian, garian or Turkish birth, or any exmember who has been expelled, and whose application for re-election has been

AIR RAIDS.

period of the war there were 52 sirehip. ship bombardments. The casualties were as follows:

Killed, Injuredi Civilians
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Civilians Bervico Men 143 BHIPBUILDING.

The Observer, in an article on ability building in war-time, mentions that the total output in, the United Kingdom, during 1918, of both naval and more national ships, was 1,245 vessels aggregating

great surprise packets of water eceding anything affort in speed and gupt.

will be scrapped.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Router's Service to the China Mail.)

MORE ODDS AND ENDS. AMSTERDAM, January 5th. A telegram from Dantzig states that the

British cruiser Goodwood, with a Naval Mission on board, has arrived to inspect the shipyards and submarines under construction, and other warships. Two American cruisers have arrived rom. Swinemuende.

COPENHAGEN, January 8th. Court Hertling died in Bavaria.

STOCKHOLM, January 6th. Branting, the Swedish Socialist, has on top. invited the Neutral Powers to an International Labour Conference at Lausanne. to be held concurrently with the Poaco

He has notified the Socialists of the Central Powers and Russia of the Con-Paris, January 9th.

A Havns message states:-The prohibition of sending, to foreign countries, newspapers published France containing advertisements, now been abrogated.

RUSSIA.

LONDON, January 9th. Regarding the situation in Russia is again authoritatively emphasised, 'from the view point of the General Staff. that the present position is maintained solely with a view to ending war with. Germany, and ensuring complete immunity from German military aggression in the future.

Six thousand Russians, Karelians and knock by the Manchesters realised 96 hu Finns joined the Allied forces in North they won the match on the first innings Russia to fight the Bolshevists. The railway from Perm to Orenburg, 10 players. Scores :-

100 miles long, has been successfully defended, almost exclusively by Russian Siberian troops, against 112,000 In North Caucasus and on the

there, are 150,000 Russians, organised by Parliamentary Secretary of the Board the late General Alexeieff, to whom the

BERVICE AGITATIONS.

A.S.C. DEMONSTRATION.

LONDON, January 8th. There was another demonstration by. men of the Army Service Corps, mostly to-day, when marched in orderly fashion from Park Marley Royal to Downing Street, where they Ramishn demanded to see the Premier. They were told to go to the Horse

there submitted to Sir William Robert Some of the men subsequently stated G. E. Marley, b Allan ... that Sir William Robertson promised,

detailed to any draft Overseas. MUCH DISCUSSED QUESTION. The whole question of demobilisation C. H. Yeoh, not out continues to be much discussed. Critica maintain that the authorities should have tackled it long sgo, and obviated the situation in which they are now faced

with a thousand genuine grievances; It is pointed out, in defence of the Hall authorities, that the problem is one of the Allen most delicate and most complicated the Horrocks Government have faced, and was pre- Cavanaugh cipitated by the suddenness of the Armis-

The various Departments concerned, in- Sgt. Krenss, c and b Rumiahn Mr. J. B. Clynes will be Pensions cluding the War Office, are now speeding Lc. Ellarby, b Rumjahn up to the utmost in the matter, and it is Sgr. Hall, st. Face, b Marley hoped there will be no further serious L. Cavana gh, b Yeoh ...

Three hundred thousand have already demobilised and steps are being Pts. Str. han, st. Face, b Wright ... taken to increase the speed, consonant R.Q.M.S. Al'an, b Yeoh At the request of the Premier, all the with vital British interests in the world Sgt. Bird, o Rumjahn, b Wright and the safety of the troops in Germany. Sat. Kelly, not out The following Labourites, who were . Instructions have been issued to ensure members of the late Government, says the a sympathetic hearing of soldiers' legitimate complaints; but the work of demobilisation will not be quickened by men trying to take the law into their own hands. Public opinion has been tolerant in recent demonstrations, but Marley real harm is being done to the national Rumishn. cause and the Army's reputation. There- Yoob fore, discipline must be maintained.

LONDON, January 10th. The Premier's plain statement on the progress of demobilisation, and the sympathetic bearing given the soldiers by Bir William Robertson, had an excellent effect on the soldiers; who appear to reassured.

There were no demonstrations on January 9th. The day was marked by a con- Rumjahn and Abbas of Craigengower stant flow of men taking advance, of the

BALTIC PROVINCES.

The Daily Telegraph's correspondent at Officer made his debut, and in scoring 10. Stockholm sums up the situation in the gave promise of better things with the Baltic Provinces as alarming and tragi- bat. It was a very welcome win for the

rapidly, the resistance being insigni-A Bolshevik revolt, accompanied by R. Basa, b. Pascall ... plundering and incendiarism, has broken A el Aroulli, b Purnell out in Right and several Finnish Volun- W. Hall, run out An official return shows that during the teer companies, have been despatched to F. G. Thompson, e. Wahl, b Pascall.... Esthonia. but the Esthonian Army is A. W. Grimmett. b Purnella. aids, 51 a roplane raids, and 12 war, much reduced by desertions to the Bol- D. Rumjahn, b Purpell. sheviks, whose equipment and discipline Mr. H. Abbas, b Pascall are reported as good

Boveral thousands in Sweden volunteered to fight against the Bolsheviks. LONDON. January 6th. A telegram - from - Copenhagen states that Bolshevik forces have captured Rige-Street fighting is progressing. Four hundred fugitives from Rigal arrived at Copenhagen on board a British cuxilinry cruiser.

WHERE WAR GOES ON.

only thentres, apart, from Pussis, where active openations are still going on are the Caucasus and Trans-Caspis.

The Admirathy states that Vice Admirat Only the Hood, however, will be come Admiral-Wenigh at the meeting for the (Continued on page 9)

LEAGUE CRICKET.

CRAIGENGO WER DEFEATED

RE's FIRST WIN

There were two surprises in the league matches on Saturday, of which the R.F.'s defeat of Craigengower on the latter's ground, rather astonished cricksters generally. This result jeopardises the Navy... chance Craigengower have of winning the league, as both Civil and Kawloon are in about as good a position now. although Craigengower are second in the league table, the R.G.A. being perched

Again Craigeogower demonstrated their need of three or four bat-men, their innings representing 61 runs only. On the University ground the Manchesters disposed of the University somewhat to the surprise of most. It was

low-scoring game and the University missed the services of Redmond. list of games on Saturday. Details of all

columns.

MANCHISTERS DEFEAT UNIVERSITY.

On the University ground the Manchesters gained a welcome win on Satur: day, duo, to some steady betting by Walker, Cavanaugh, Reenau, and assisted by a late stand by Allah and Strahan their innings reaching a total of 100 The University started hadly, Rumjaha ailing to scure and Marley (2') Wright (23), scoring 44 of the tota

by 44 runs. The University only batted MANCHESTERS, IST INKINGS. Pte. Walker, c. Rumishn, b. Marley ... Upli Horrocks, a.Ukos, b Marley. and-Licut. Cavanaugh, c. Ponsonby Fane. b Mariey ergt. Keenan, c Yeoh, b Rumjahn

L/c. Ellarby, b Marley._ Serut. Bilson, b Rumjahn Sergt Kelly, b Rumjahn R.Q.M.S. Allan, not out Sergt. Bird, b Marley Priv. Strahan, b Marley Extras

Bowling Analysis. DNIVERSITY..

Guards' Parado. Their grievances were K. S. Lim, c. Walker, b Hall . E. Yeon, b Allan . D. Wright, c Walker, b Allan R. A. P. Fane, run out... inter alia, that no man of over 41 will M. P. Choa, c Keenan, b Cavanaugh. W. Gittins, c Allan, b Cavanaugh K. L. Sun. c Cavanaugh, b Horrocks.

Bowling Analysis. Cpl. Horrocks, c Ches. b. Wright.... to. Walker, st. F. n. Marley Sgt. Bilson, b Yoek

The R.E.'s had a fairly good team out on Saturday, and Uraigengewer scoring only 61; the soldiers proceeded to some their first win of the season. Only Grimmet, scored double figures, and on the Royal Engineers batting, 61 was passed during the fourth wicket partnership. Raworth Sharp and Lawrence batted well, and Lieut. Colonel Coles, the new Chief Ordnance

sappers; their first in 9 matches, no less The Bolshevik Army is advancing than 7 having been lost Scores :-CRAICENCOWER. F. Kew, b Pascall T. F. Ford, b!Pascall U. Omar, not out Total (for 6 wickets)

Sergt Heath, o Ford, b Omar Lt.-Col. Coles, b Omar Corpi. Pascall, b Abbas

LEAGUE TABLE .

The league table, giving positions of tosms to date, is appended :-

FRIENDLY MATCHES.

H. C. Hung, o Jones b Haskings H.R.C.C. AND NAVY DRAW, Some good babting was seen in this game on the dub ground, 81 by De Rome, Pe-ice St. and Mass 33, for Hongkong, and tary 50, for the Navy, being the best contributions. The Club knocked up 206 for 7 before declating, and then the N vy bitter at ib bornig. 7 wick to felling before expired when their total hid reached 127 a draw resulting. So rest-

HONGKONG C.C. Four friendly matches completed the P. Jucks, c Hack, b Stanton f. E. Pearce, o Maybow, b Stanton ... 34. matches will be found in our cricket F. J. de Rome run out... 34 Capt. H. E. Murray, b. Stanton.... 20 Olivers. B. C. Zeveryn, b. Stanton.... H. sking M. M. Mass, o-Holborn, b Hobinson ... 33 R. Kennedy b Robinson R. P. Thursfield, not out F. W. S. Evan: R. Sutton and D. E. Armstys b Wong Donnelly did not bat.

> Extras Total (for 7-whits, doc.).....

** bowled a no ball. ig. Hack, c and b Pearco Faymri Holborn, c and b Pearce Col. Mayhew, c Donnelly, b Pearce. F. W. Cary, b Zoveryn,

Paymr. Robinson, h Pearce Lieut. Stanton, c De Rome, heut. Hake, not out Paymr, Wild c Zeveryn, h De Rome... Ackhurst, Overend and Elliot did

Total (for 7 wickets)127 ... Bowling Analysis.

le Rome *bowled a wide.

C.R. C. v. B3rd Co., R.G.A.

On the C.R.C. ground the 83rd Co. R.G.A. Were defeated by 2 wickers Sharp with 68 scored more than half the score of 83rd Co., which totalled 118. which the C.R.C. knocked up for the loss of 8 wickets. Scores:-

Sam Co. R.G.A. Manu: c. Wong: b Yew Man Tsun Sharp, c and h-Yew Men Tsun ::. Perkins b Un Hew Fan Athornes e subi but ew Man Tsun Graham. b Lee: Edmundson, b Yew Man Tsun ... Locey, o Lee, b Yow Man Ison Dicksson, c Ping. b Un Hew Fan

H. Ching, b Graham C. Y. Cheong, b Athorne Un Hew Fan, c Sharp, b Athorne Ng Sze Kwong, c Dicksson, b Sharp J. Wong, run out Yew Man Tsun, not out Lee, o Athorne, b Sharp.... M. Ping. b Mann C. F. Lee, c. Lacey, b Mann... L. T. Moon, ot out W. P. Fook did not bat.

Extras de Barrie au pour Total (for 8 wickets) Bowling Analysis.

H.K. POLICE Y. INDIAN R.C.

The Police gained a win as the result of this match on their ground, 77 scored by Little being top score of the match.
After amassing 131, the Police dismissed the Indians for 83, and won by 49 runs.

H.K. POLICE Little, b Partabrai.s. Dorling, o Markar, b Ismail. Mason, c Partabrai, b Ismail: Tayler, b Ismail Mess: c Partebrai, b Markar. King b Khan ... Sutton, b Partabrai Hollands, c Earde, b l'artabrai... Bacon not out Stevenson, c and b Ismail 17.

S. D. Ismail, c Bacon, b Sution...

O. G. Mark-r. b Sutton Moosdeen, & Dorling, b Sutton A. L. Andree. o Moss, b Sutton.. G. C. Earde, b Sutton ... G. Partabrai, b Sutton ... R. Nazarin, b.Sutten

CRICKET CLUB.

Bowling Analysis

88TH CO. R.G.A. V. UNIVERSITY

49. Scores:--.

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UNIVERSITY CHO XI.

W. Chan, c Jones b Oliver, ...

J. Basto, run out

Bowling Analysis,

*Bowled 1 wile.

88TH CO. B.G.A.

Bow ing Analysis.

*Bowled 2 will a.

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January'13, 1919.

lat ultimo.

C. S. San, a Jones b Haskings

H..A. Phipps, b Oliver,

I.A. Cuttierez b Haskings

A: Sub., c Armatys b Oliver

Total ...

En Kei Ho, not out.

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SUCCESSFUL CHILDREN'S SPORTS.

Favoured by ideal weather the Children's Sports at King's Purk on . In this match at Happy Valley on Saturday afternoon under the auspices I Saturday, the University, 2nd string wer of the Kowloon Cricket Club proved a no match for the soldiers and were besten 6 great success. Besides 22 keeply con-Oliver for the R.G.A. took wickets for 10 runs, while, Wong bowled | tested events there were side attractions well for University taking 7 wickets for such as a duck pond, bran tub and shooting gallery which were well appreciated by the little ones. The band of the 18th Infantry was in and Leo Weill; 3, D. Green and Leo attendance and played some fine music Graham. while tea was served on the lawn by Wiseman's Cafe, after which the prizes. were distributed.

The president of the Club, Dr. C.

Forsyth in a happy little speech said that entertainments of that sort had not been held for the last four years owing Gladys Ramsay. to the war, but now that the war clouds had lifted and more nearly normal conditions had been restored, he was Betty Martin. pleased that the Club had been able to resume this annual institution, for the Dixon; 2, Vivenne Blackburn; 3, Irene lanjoyment of the little ones. There was no doubt that the function was success, and he hoped that after certain improvements and extensions had been carried out in the Club's ground, all the children of the Colony would be able to take part in future meetings of the Peggy Searle. kind. He then thanked, on behalf of Flat race (under 14) .-- 1, Iria Thornof the Club, the numerous donors of hill; 3, Suzanne, Waill; 3, Rosebud prizes, and also the parents for bringing Young. their children. Some of those present han said, brought no children because Russell; 3, Eileen Donald; 3, Dorothy they had none to bring, but he felt sure that as the years rolled on they would be able to bring children with them. (Laughter). In conclusion, he thanked Massrs. Edwards and Blackburn for the part they took in the organisation of the entertainment, which had proved such

"si unqualified success. (Applause). Mrs. Forsyth then distributed th prizes to the winners, amid applause, after which she was presented with a beautiful bouquet of flowers, in a silver Mr. R. E. Lindsell who made the presentation, after thanking Mr Forsyth announced that certain exten tions to the grounds and the removal of cortain obstructions would soon taken in hand. The funds necessary for the purpose had been generously subscribed by the Bon: Mr. P. Holycak, Dr. C. Forsyth and Mr. Sutherland...

Three lusty cheers and a "Tiger P. C. 827 Karim Deen is commended were then accorded Dr. Forsyth on the cill of Mr. J. P. Robinson. by the Captain Superintendent of Police for the smart arrest of a snatcher on the

THE RESULTS. The following were the results of the Sports:-

Boys' Events. The C.S. P. will informally inspect Potato race (ages-10 to 12)-I. te Reserva Force at Central Station at Hedley; 3, H. Duncan; 3, Luiz, de

> 2. Luiz de Souza: 3. H. Duncan-Obstacle race (ages 12 to 14).—1. T. Pile ; 2, G. Currie ; 3, F. de Souza. Relay race, teams of four (ages 10 to

Flat race (ages 6 to 8).—1. J. Martin; 2; Billy Walker; 3, J. Smalley.

Sack race (under 14) -1, J. Kin 2, E. Walker; 3, F. de Sours.

Tug-of war, teams of hight (ages to 14).-I. P. Rasmussen, W. Law H. King, L. Stonham, E. Walker, Summers, W. Stonham and M. Th

Mat race (ages 4 to 6).-1. J. Bra M. Beglay : 3, Guarie Young. Bowls contest (ages 10 to 14)-1, Green; l. C. Pile; 3, J. Sheridan. Flat race (ages 8 to 10) -1, Patri White; 2, F. Rattey; 3, Billy Walker Wheelbarrow race (under 14),-1, Basmussen and Eric Jordan; 2. D. Ph

GIRLS' EVENTS. Skipping race (unde 14).—1. Gladys Ramsay; 2, Peggy Searle; 5, Betty

Musical-chairs (ages 8 to 12).-1, Daisy Witchell; 2 Marjory Stuart; 3, Skipping competition (under 9).-1, Elsie Rasmusson; 2 Annie Begley; 3

Flat race (under 5) -1. Christie Jonkins. Potato race (ages 10 to 14) --- 1 Maggie Ramsay; 2, Ruby Young; 3,

Skipping competition (ages 10 to 12). 1, Nora Pile; 2, Rosebud Young;

Flat race (ages 6 to 8),-I. Moirs

Egg-and-Spoon race (under 14).-1.

Nora Pile : 2. Rosebud Young : 3, Jessie. Flat race (ages 8 to 10),-1, Phyllis Capell; 2 Marjorie Hanson; 3 Joyce

Relay race, teams of four (ages 10 to 14).—Mary Hyde, Maggie Ramssy Gladya Ramsay and Phyllis Goodall. Veterana race (over 45):--1, W. J

Edwards: T. J. P. Robinson; 3, J. R. Tug-of-War, Men s. Boys .- Four men Mesors, D. Harvey, C. Jefferies, H. Tay ler, and C. Bond) pulled against sight youths, who won two out of the three

The officials were as follows :-Judges:-The Hom Mr. Holyoak, Dr. C. Forsyth, Messrs. R. M. Dyer, W. Russell, R. Sutherland, R. E. Lindsell and P. R. Wolff.

Handicappers and Starters -- Messra W. Kay. W. J. Owens. J. H. Mead, G. Stark, C. W. Jefferies, C. P. James, H. H. Tayler. Clerks of the Course. - Messrs. K. R.

Macaskill, F. P. Shroff, F. G. Herridge

Decoration Committee.—Mesers. G

Duncan, W. T. Owens, J. Hyde, D. G. Nicoll, E. W. White. Entertainment Committee, - Mrs. D Harvey, Mrs. J. P. Robinson, Mrs. J Boot race (under 12).-1, H. Gordon; Hyde, Mrs. G. Duncan, Mrs. E. J. Edwards, Mrs. W. T. Elson, Mrs. E. Abraham, Mrs. J. Spittles, Mrs. J. A Tarrant, Mrs. C. W. Jefferies, Mesers J. M. Jack, H. W. Page, E. W. White G. Currie, R. Currie, A. Gordon G. Duncan, R. Abraham, J. Hyde, D.

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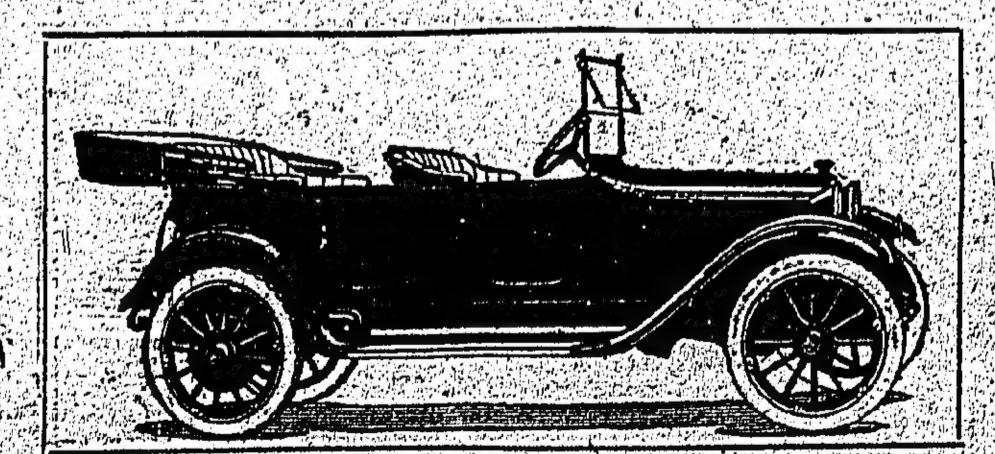
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TIMELY SUGGESTIONS BY GENERAL SMUTS.

LEAGUE OF CIVILIZATION.

London, January 10th. General Smuts has published a outlining a suggested gramme for the Peace Conference, as re- ditions. gards the League of Nations, of which If the League of Nations merely meant

If the future peace of the world is to CONSCRIPTION TAP-ROOT OF maintained it will be necessary to devise and instrument of Government which will deal with the causes and

If the League of Nations is to last must become part and parcel of the com- | Unless that is cut all our labours will be international life of the States. must be an ever-visible, living and working organ of the polity of civilization. Europe is being liquidated and League of Nations must be beir to this

ful not to set too much store on past a award or report by the Council, at the rate of Y.48. She is to run a precedents. We want an instrument of thirdly, not even then as against a memgovernment which, however much talk is ber which complies with the award or This rather high charterage implies a put into it at one end, will grind out recommendation of the Council. the decisions at the other end. The League will never be a great success

until there is formed, as its main support. a powerful international public The water-tight compartments and the partition walls between nations, and continents have been knocked through,

If the League refuses to function, some other machinery will have to be created to deal with the new problems which

transcend all national limits. LONDON, January 9th. General Smuts points out that three men have been content to be vague: three Empires have passed away, namely, the German, Austrian, and Turkish.

robbed their constituents, at least kept aid. the peace among them. now going to substitute for them?" position of Russia. Austria and Turkey had failed, and secret diplomacy was are mostly incapable of, or deficient in. doomed. No great country could afford the power of self-government. They are to remain outside the League of Na-1 outputs. Also, in Heilungkiang Proalso destitute and require nursing towards tions.

economic and political independence. Surely, the only sensible course is a tensive as organisation for war, Hence, the establishment of a League of ences. Nations should be the primary, basic, task The Peace Conference must be made promising future indeed. of the Peace Conference. Nay, more to understand that this war would not The Conference should look upon itself be properly ended unless it made further as the first, preliminary, meeting of the wars impossible.

Still referring to the peoples of the former Russian, Turkish, and Austrian Empires, General Smuts says:-" There should be no annexation of these territories. Many of them are capable of selfgovernment, but others are incapable, for example. Palestine and the Armenian vilayets. In the latter case the adminis- Staff, delivered an address of great intration will have to be undertaken some external authority.

"A PRACTICAL IDEA.,

The League of Nations would take he told how two members of the American Dairen will amount to south year control, but not directly, because a joint Mission made a record trip to Paris and Rashin and Sakurai companies of Port international administration has been back in four hours and twenty minutes. Arthur are said to have enough salvage found wanting wherever it has been tried. It results in paralysis, tempered by intried, and act for the league, and a condi- course being largely steered by compass, undertaken by the Suda company of peoples have a right to state a preference, the Channel 287 times, frequently in bad blets. With the approaching peace, the although this cannot done in cases where weather. consultation is impossible.

Speaking generally of the early future engines. says that new sovereign States, such as the risk of danger was much less than Poland, Finland, Bohemin, and Greater citen supposed, a considerable proportion Serbia will have arisen. A large number of the accidents hitherto being due to the of autonomous States will also have higher war-training in acrial fighting tered by one or the other of the powers, ingly few. Over all will be the League.

BELIEVES IT IS WORKABLE.

General Smuts believes such a system is workable, and will remove the most fruitful sources of war. The system will closely resemble the Government of the British Empire, which has been so super State, and a mere debating society. rest en woute at Mersa-Matruh. He suggests that the Council of the Probably, it. would be advisable to cause we have no one out here who knows

added from two panels, one comprising! the important intermediate Powers below the rank of the great Powers, namely Spain Hungary, Turkey, Central Russia. Poland, Greater Serbia, etc., and the other panel comprising all the minor States. Each panel would provide two members, required; and would be equipped with, There would thus be ten members in the Council as soon as Germany was admitted:

only have the force of recom-

General Smuts lays great stress on the moral effect of the work of the League in would be high in comparison with preforming a strong body of international sent charges—perhaps a few shillings per of a league.

The Council, however, is the really im— Another route which the Air Force alignment of the hoped to open was the all-Red route from Passports or identification papers. All

and be in a position, from first-hand ganvika. information, to make up its mind on .

matters requiring executive action by the Lake Nyassa, Blantyre, Beira, Lorenzo League, Durban, Port Elizabeth, and The Council must pay special attention Ceme Town-5,700 miles in all. to situations all over the world which The aeroplene route will be via Eliza-may develop into serious international bethville. Livingstone, Bulawayo, Pretroubles. Indeed, its head office of toria, Lohannesburg, Bloemfontoin and organisation must resemble a General Capt Town-making 5,300 miles.

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OLD CONDITIONS MUST BE JPROOTED.

As regards the preservation of the world peace by a League, General Smuts atters a warning against expecting too much Changehun have already pledged their He says that while social and political support. The first general meeting conditions from which war arises remain likely to be held in the latter part pam- it is vain to expect any good from new January. pro-l'institutions superimposed on those con-

the following are some of the chief a new wheel to the coach the addition would not be worth the making.

> Regarding the proposals for the future prevention of war, General Smuts February shipments at G.\$8 from Japan, strongly opposes conscription, which he G.\$10 from Dalren, G.\$20 from Hongregards as the tap-root of militarism kong, and G.\$30 from Singapore. In

League shall bind themselves not to go is kept stiff, presumably owing to the previously submitting the dispute to cargo conditions. To cite an instance, into war with one another, firstly, without In discussing a problem like the con- arbitration or inquiry by the Council of the Talyo Kaiun Kaisha has trip-charter-stitution of the League, we must be care the League, secondly, until there has been ed a foreign steamer, of 8,000 ton class,

sort be guaranteed by force. LONDON, January 10th. General "Smuts' pamphlet, while supporting the principle of self-determination, rules out the case of Alsace-Lorraine.

because this is no case of territorial acquisition, but only of restitution, also and the new situation calls for world the German Colonies, because in them the principle of self-determination has really no meaning. All the newspapers eulogise the pamphlet, and hail it as the first serious

attempt to give definite form and constitution to an ideal about which most General Smuts' whole plan is ageous and provides the Peace Conference These Empires, while they incidentally with an ideal which should be of practical

LONDON, January 6th. Mr. J. R. Clynes, speaking at Bristol, made, it is calculated that the present The peoples left behind by the decom- said that the idea of balance of power

Pence influences must be made as, in- 10,000,000 koku, but it can be increased League of Nations, the reversionary, in order to secure the banishment of the the broadest sense, of these Empires, battlefield as, a means of settling differ-

FUTURE OF FLYING.

NEW DATA FROM CHIEF OF AIR STAFF. ",

LONDON, January 7th. Major-General Sykes, Chief of the Ai terest and importance to-day, on commercial aviation in the light of war experience, before the members of the the average market rate of 15 yen; a. London Chamber of Commerce.

story of recent feats of passenger services. Dairen will amount to 500,000 year. The On another occasion a trip of 170 miles work to last them for five years more! Hence, a State should be nominat- from Manchester took 85 minutes,"the The salvage of the warship, " Yashima," tion of the nomination should be that the A pilot over 40 years of age had crossed. Dairen will take ten years longer to com-

Aviation was now on the threshold of The League would reserve ultimate con- a new existence in commercial life. In conjecture, but even if the rate should The people of the governed State the technical aspect we could pit the come down to about ten yen per hundred would have the right of appeal to it in brains of our inventors and engineers pounds, the salvage work will be still case of mis-government. The policy of the against the world, and had already gain- paying. pen door should be followed in all such ed for ourselves the foremost place in States.

The risk of danger was much less than arisen, befriended, advised, and assisted and the formation of flying; but even by the greater States, while a smaller under these conditions accidental connumber of areas will be directly adminis- sidering the circumstances, were surpris-

Dealing with an overland project to almost without exception they are India, he said that a machine storting from London would fly, without a stop, direct to Marseilles, thence to Suda Bay, Crete, and after a short rest, to Teranto or to Rome for inspection and minor repairs preparatory to the long

journey overseas from Crete. The machine would reach the African needs something akin to shell shock to eminently successful as a political system, coast at, Sollum, whence, after overhaul-The writer emphasises that there are ing and replenishing her petrol tanks. two extremes to be avoided, namely a she would go to Caro, with a possible

League be composed of the representatives transfer mails "at" Cairo, to mother how to swear furiously in strictly diploof the five great Powers, Great Britain, machine in order that the muchine from matic language we fail to produce the the United States, France, Italy, and London might be completely overhauled necessary shell shock effects, and as Japan. Germany would be added as soon Continuing the journey, the route passes consequence we are remorselessly exas she got a stable democratic Govern- Damascus and Baghdad, both possessing ploited to put it plainly, we are bare subsidiary perodromes for repair facilities, and thence to Basta, No.

from Bushire, d'ong the const. to Bunder, interests. We make these observations Some 25 serodromes were necessary for Home conditions. Straits Times." this route, and Taranto, Cairo and Baera I

first class facilities. Each sverage stage would be 350 miles. The great Powers would have a bare and the total distance, from London to Debi is approximately 8,000 miles. All the resolutions of the Conference Brigadier-General Sykes thinks that we are instified in looking forward to a mendations to be submitted to the Govern- weekly mail service on this route, the ments and Legislatures of the Powers com, time of passage not exceeding seven or General Smuts lays great stress on the eight days. Postal rates by aeroplane

League. The representatives of the Cairo to Cape Town. Survey parties persons with certain exceptions, who Powers on the Council should be the have calready been despatched from remain in the Colony for more than Prime Ministers or the Foreign Secres Cairo: This flight will be undertaken both 7 lays are required to Register themtaries, who, however, should be entitled by a Flying Boat and an seroplane, who, however, should be entitled by a Flying Boat and an seroplane, who selves tonder the REGISTRATION of to appoint substitutes. The landing grounds FERSONS ORDINANCE 1916. Forms Without unduly or irritatingly inter- every 200 miles on the route, passing vid of Registration giving the particulars fering with the affairs of the States, the Assound. Wadi-Halfa, Khartoum. and required may be obtained at the G.P.O. Council must keep in touch with the con- Lakes Albert, Victoria Nyanza and Tan, and at all Police Stations.

The route for the flying boat will be

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PROPOSED CHAMBER OF COM MERCE FOR CHANGOHUN.

The proposed Chamber of Commerce at Changehun is progressing satisfactoril despite the report circulated at a time that the proposition might fall through and up to the present 114 merchants o

So far as the trans-Pacific service from the Far Eastern ports is concerned, the nominal rates are quoted for January 8.50 p.m., 8.30 p.m., 10 p.m., 10.30 p.m., spite of a marked decline in the trade General Smuts proposes that the Peace from the Far East to North America, the Treaty shall provide that members of the rate from North America to the Far East This prohibition should in the last re higher freight on the incoming trip tha on the outward.

BEAN PRODUCING.

The Bean crop of South and North Manchuria is yearly increasing, and at present the crop in South Manchuria is 17,600,000 koku, of which 10,600,000 koku is from Fengtien Province and 7,000,000 koku from Kirin Province. The annual export of Beans is about one million tons. However, the bean cultivation in Manchuria is still in a puerile stage, and little fertilizer is applied. When the method of cultivation is improved, and a nice selection of seeds and fertilizers is crop will be increased to 140,000,000 koku, seven and a half times the present vince, the present crop is only about in eightfold, with judicious improvements in the method of cultivation and seeds. The Bean crop of Manchuria has a very

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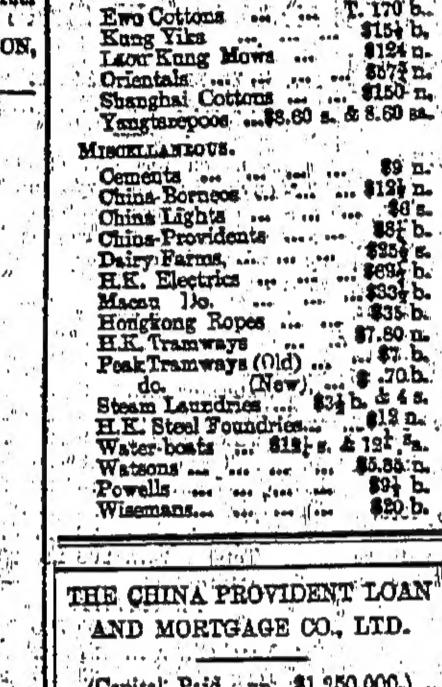
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(Continued from page ())

GERMAN CIVIL WAR.

Balk, January 8th. The latest news from Berlin shows that anarchy continues. The reign of diswices is becoming more marked.

The Spartacists occupy the Government Printing Works and control the Berlin railways, which have coased

-pt cutting off communications between authority. the Capital and the surrounding districts, } swith the object of delaying the arrival

There was violent fighting at noon yesterday near Wilhelm Platz. The Spartacists are, shouting

death to the blood-suckers Ebert and Schiedeman." They were only barely repulsed by the troops from reaching the Chancellery. The Spartacists possess a number of

guns, and motor cars for the transport. and distribution of munitions and are now besieging the barracks of the Third Regiment of Guards,

LONDON, January 10th. is still impossible to confidently guage who incessantly penetrated the huge Gerthe extent and severity of the Spartacists' man, mine-fields off Heligoland, blocking sold for supreme power.

that Berlin on the morning of January first six months of last year. when quieter, after a night-long. On one occasion, four of these mineapper-hand.

from many parts of Berlin that they are The British mine-barrier below Ostend without water, and lighting, and owing had captured 17 submarines in one to the seizure of the works, the provision month. jing of the soldiers and civilians inter- by the enemy's men's refusals to fact our

They assert that if the Spartacist estrongholds do not surgender they will reduce them with artillery and acroplanes. General von Eichhorn's surrendered guard numbered 3.000.

The Spartneists scored a great coup in In a light snowstorm, the late, excapturing the State printing works, there- President Roosevelt was buried at Oyster by taking possession of a huge sum of Bay, after a funeral service at which Mr. paper money. .

Atroops have achieved valuable success by presentatives of the Allied Governments, geconquering the railway head offices. Herr Liebknecht was slightly wounded were present. by a hand grenade on January 6th.

. Bate, January 8th. The German newspapers state that a Division, with artitlery and machine- the appointed interment. guns, from Potsdam, and the Chasseurs from Lubeck, are marching on Berlin to the Government aid.

Government troops occupy Potsdam and some of the Berlin railway stations, but railway traffic has ceased in Berlin owing to the fact that the trains are being fired on. The Berlin Bourse, also the Frankfurt

Banks and the Stock" Exchange, are gelosed. The workers and soldiers occupying the Poles advancing from Kolmar encounter-. Wolff Bureau in Berlin are armed with ed a German Volunteer Company on

hand granades. The Spartacists at Dortmund and Nuramburg seized the newspaper offices supporting the Ebert Government and burned the printing press. BASLE, January 9th.

Fighting continues "on the Under-Den-Linden, but the Government is now rapidly receiving military reinforcements and count on the support of 80,000 loyal proops, including 8,000 guardsmen, besides the demobilised men who have "wolunteered their services, also the Berlin Carrison who have thrown in their lot with the Government, in consequence of the incoming troops' hostility at the ".moutral attitude hitherto observed. General von Eichhorn's guard have

also described. . Amsterdam, January 9th. Frankfurter "Nachrichten states street fighting attained an unparelleled intensity in Berlin on night of the 7th. A terrific cannonade continued until the next morning. The journal declares that the Govern-

remain masters of the situation. Large forces, especially of artillery, are solution moved by Mrs. Besant demandbeing continually sent to Berlin. Herr Ebert has re-affirmed his absolute Press," and complete autonomy within confidence as regards the issue of the

Spartacist challenge. The Government troops re-occupied the Imperial Printing Works.

AMSTERDAM, January 8th. A telegram from Berlin states that five Police Corps are at present undertaking the maintenance of order.

General von Eichhorn received the Government delegation, deputed to instal his successor, with a revolver in his hand and declared that he would only yield to force until the case had been properly adjudged, whereupon the delegation discreetly withdrew.

LONDON, January 10th. The most significant news of the situstion in Berlin to-day is the telegram from Zurich stating that General von Eichhorn; Las fled:

BASLE, January 10th. . The Government has appointed the Majority Socialist Herr Richter Chief of Police, temporarily.

AMSTERDAM, January 9th. A telegram from Berlin says that a state of siege has been proclaimed. The

Government troops unsuccessfully deavoured to recapture the Wolff Bureau. AMSTERDAM, January 9th. The Handelsblad Correspondent tele-

phoned yesterday from "Berlin that the negotiations between the Spartacists and the Government atterly failed. secure an abatement of the Government flag and does not include munitions. conditions but the Government was

adamant. Herr Noske stated that the Government position is being strengthened hourly."

because volunteers are flowing in. The Britacists were driven out on the The Daily News correspondent at evening of January 7th from the Potsdam Dublin states that Mr. Stephen Gwynne, rad Anhalt railway stations, also from ex-M.P., is heading the new campaign to

read offices. Heavy fighting, the artillery participat-To occurred at the Central Telegraph lice: No details have yet been received.

Liver Liebmann, Herr Ledebour and

Bruye, January 9th. A telegram from Berlin, dated Jan--tary 8th, states that the Spartacists have should be formulated, influentially signed, a tablished a new Government styled the R volutiounry Committee comprising if the Conference is willing to receive it. | 1.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Rauter's Service to the China Mail.)

Herr Tiek. The last-named is the President of the Spartacus League. Spartneists, led by a sailor, attempted to overturn the Government of Schewerin-Mecklenberg: They occupied the pub-lic buildings and barracks, but subse-quently the soldiers ejected and defeated

The Spartacists, strongholds are being closely besieged.

A considerable weakening of their movement is already discernible, I. It is confidently, anticipated that the The Spartacists are apparently aiming Government will completely reassert its

> The newspaper Germania, asserts that 1,000 Russian Bolishevists, disguised as Germans, have reached Berlin.

Private advices from Berlin state that the fighting will probably last a week, and will undoubtedly result in a complete victory for the Ebert Government.

NAVY, FEATS,

THINGS NOT TOLD, BEFORE.

LONDON, January 6th. Sir Eric Geddes, speaking at a concert to wounded Overses troops at Oatlands, Surrey, said that he would give Owing to the absence of details us re- the palm for being best, bravest and gards the numbers engaged in street pluckiest section of the Navy to the men fighting and the casualties inflicted, it of the Twentieth Mine-laying Flotilla, the channels for German vessels.

All'the latest reports confirm that there In consequence of British trap-mines Thas been violent fighting, but they declare 100 German craft were caught during the

struggle, in which the Government troops layers, after spotting six German, outpost recaptured a number of buildings. The boats, successfully passed through the Covernment is now steadily regaining the mine-field and laid mines, and, "returnupper hand. ing, mopped up all the six German. The Government has received messages vessels, capturing the crews.

depots have been stormed and the feed. The first German mutiny was caused mines laid just below the surface

THE ROOSEVELT OBSEQUIES.

New York, Japuary 9th. Thomas R. Marshall, the Vice-President, On the other hand the Government representing President Wilson, also reand a distinguished body of Americans

> Mr. Lloyd George cabled the sympathy of the British people. Business was suspended at the time of

NEW YORK, January 10th. Ex-President Roosevelt left half a million dollars of which \$60,000 will be divided amongst his children and the remainder goes to his widow.

POLAND.

AMSTERDAM, January 9th. A telegram from Berlin states that the January 6th. Heavy fighting ensued, and the Poles retreated. The Germans captured Kolmar and

Weissenhoche. The losses on both sides were yery

Paris, January 5th. Four Polish delegates arrived to meet M. Clemenceau and M. Pichon, to obtain recognition of the Polish State; also to ask for Military assistance and food

COPENHAGEN, January 10th. The Frankfurter Zeitung states that three Army Corps will be employed to recapture the province of Posen and to protect Silesia.

ODDS AND ENDS.

telegram from Prague states that eight revolver shots were fired at the Czecho-Slovak Premier, M. Kromarcz, who was not wounded. DELHI, January 9th.

The National Congress carried a re-"freedom for the people and the the shortest possible period.

Austerdam, January 9th. A telegram from Vienna states that the State Council fixed the elections of the Constituent Assembly for February 18th. LONDON, January 9th. The situation in the Balkans-continues

difficult owing to food shortage. LONDON, January, 9th. Supplies have already been sent under

an armed guard to Vienna. BRUSSELS, January, 6th. The Minister of Justice, M. Vandervelde, announced that every enomy alien who had had relations with the Germans would be expelled from Belgium

forthwith. AMSTERDAM, January 4th. The ex-Kaiser has undergone a successful operation on his car;

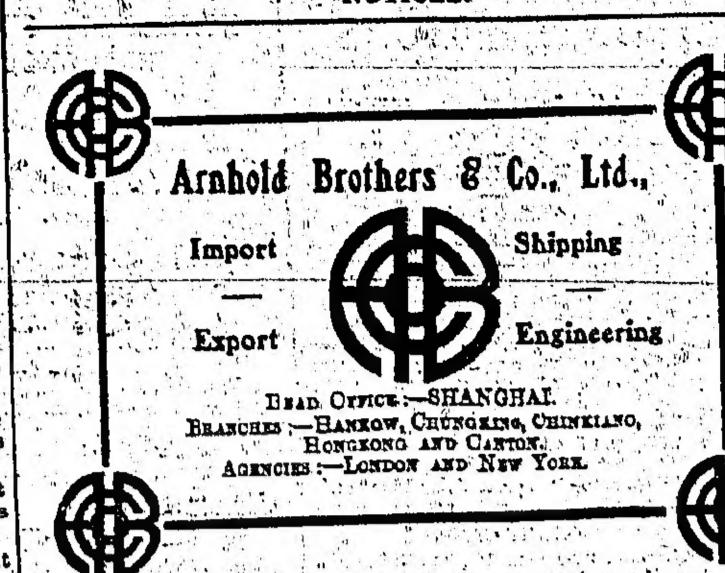
HOLLAND BEING REASONABLE

THE HAGUE, January 6th. The Dutch Government announces the British Government has been informed you totry Chamberlain's Cough Remedy that it does not object to the transport, the next time you have a cough or cold. Ital diseast attacks your little one before by Dutch waterways, of provisions for the There is no reason to far as we can see you prepare for it. It comes in the troops of occupation in Germany, and to why you should not do so. This preparthe use of the Scheldt, for demobilised ation by its remarkable cures has gained closed, and this alone should be a warntroops returning home, providing that a world wide reputation, and people ing Get and keep Chamberlain's Cough the transport is not regarded as a pre-The former were endeavouring to cedent, is made under the commercial

UNITED STATES OF IRELAND.

London, January 7th to Brandenburg Gate and the railway, introduce a new federal system in Ireland. The main idea is to overcome Ulster's objection to Home Rule, simultaneously avoiding the partition of Ireland by creating at least two, and probably three State governments federated under a Central Irish Government.

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Park on Sunday, the Navy men winning. Judge (Mr. Justice H. H. Gompertz) It is a coincidence that they won by this morning, an appeal was heard in exactly the same number of points (61) which Ip Chicun made an application by which the Defence Corps beat Taikoo that the rule nisi for a writ of Habeas the week before.

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SUICIDE AND CRIME.

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A Chinese girl, 13 years of age, living at 11. Graham Street, committed suicide by hanging herself from the becoost. The body was sent to the Mortunry.

Lantau Village, according to a report from Shautnukok, was visited on Satur day, the 10th instant by a gang robbers. They ransacked the village and stole money and jewellery to the value of \$209:

Two robbers entered No. 89, Bonham strand West at 3 a.m. this morning and left hurriedly when the alarm was raised. Shortly afterwards, an Indian constable met a Chinese in the vicinity, who ran away when he saw the constable. On finding himself pursued, he call for assistance. The revolver, which two more rounds were found in the

ISTRAIGHT AT IT.

THERE is no use of our "beating well out with it first as last. We want everywhere speak of it in the highest Chemista and Storekeepers.

THE SUPREME COURT.

MACAO EXTRADITION CASE. Before the full court of appeal com-

posed of Chief Justice (Sir William) This match was shot off at King's Rees-Davies, K.C.) and the Puisne Haiphong-Per CORNELIA, 13th Jan., Corpus be made absolute.

Mr. Eldon Potter (instructed by Mr. Goldring), appeared for the prisoner while the Hon. Mr. J. H. Kemp, Attorney General (instructed by Mr. G. H. Wakeman) was for the Crown.

The history of the case is that the prisoner, who was a robber, was arrested in Macao for a crime committed there and put in prison. He managed however, to escape from jail and being a wealthy man took refuge in Hongkong where he was located by the Macao Authorities and an application for his extradition was made. The case was heard before Mr. J. B. Wood at the Magistracy and followed by an application by prisoner to the Saigon Chan Cheng, Cl4. Chief Justice for a rule mist. The appli-

Before beginning his arguments, Mr. Potter informed the court that the Attorney General wished to argue on a phong. W.C. Jack, B9.

preliminary point as to the procedure SAN NING, Brit., 303 tons, from West to be followed and also as to who should River, Capt. McKetchnie, Shin Hing,

that point, and if the Attorney General would look into the cases, he would find Shanghai, Capt. Walker, P. & O. that the custom was for the prisoner to Buoy 21. begin and the Grown show cause why the application should not be granted. The Attorney General said that he Al Buoy. was going to prove that the English practice was invariably for the Crown

Mr. Poster said the practice in this court was a uniform one and why the Court should be asked to disregard this practice, at this stage, he did not

The Chief Justice. We are living in a radical age. The case is proceeding.

RED CROSS WORK IN SIBERIA

Mr. Castle of the American Red Cross turned round and draw a revolver, is in the Colony after some months of hard The constable grasped his wrist in time, work on behalf of that Society in Siberia He overpowered the follow with the and will give an informal talk at the Buoy help of a Marine Sergeant who had Hongkong Hotel at 10 a,m. to-morrow. come up in response to the constable a This hoped the attendance will be big as Mr. Castle wishes especially to tell the had five chambers, was fully londed and British Red Cross workers about the use man's pocket. Mr. J. R. Wood, before made of the materials they have been whom the man was brought up this sending up to Siberis and also as to what morning, formally remanded the case, the future requirements will be. These, in accordance with the request of the he says; will be many. Mr. G. E. Anderson, Consul General for the United States, will take the chair.

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The latest dates of mails received from England yesterday were: London 23rd November, Manchester 24th November, and Liverpool 25th November, A mail despatched from London between the 15th and 23rd November has not yet

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INWARD MAILS.

THURSDAY, 18th January. Straits-Per KEYWEST, 16th Jan.

OUTWARD MAILS.

TUESDAY, 14th January. Swatow and Straits-Per LUCHOW Shaughai and North China-Per SINKIANG, 14th Jan., 10 a.m.

Shanghai, North China, Japan via Yokohama, Honolulu, Canada, United States, Central and South America, and EUROPE via San Francisco-Per NANKING. 14th Jan., Registration 9.45 a.m. Letters 10.30 a.m.

Haiphong-Per SATSUKI MARU, 14th Jan., 5 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, 18th January. Philippine Jelands - Per SORACHI MARU, 15th Jan., 10 a.m. Shanghai, North China, Japan via Nagasaki, Canads, United States, Central and Fouth America, and EUROPE via Vancouver-Per EMPRESS OF JAPAN, 15th, Jan., Registration 9.45 a.m. Letters 10.30 a.m. Swatow, Amoy and Formesa via Takao-Per SOSHU MARU, 15th Jan.,

ARRIVALS OF STEAMERS.

JANUARY 11, 1919. YUNG SHIN, Chi., 999 tons, from "CERF, Chi., 283 tons, from Wuchow, cation was granted and the case came capt. Capt. Hong Chin, On Yik, wharf, before their lordships this morning that the rule nin may be made absolute.

Capt. Hong Chin, On Yik, wharf.

HUKWAI, Chi., 228 tons. from Wuchow, Capt. Shaw, B. & S., Bil.

NAM HO, Chi., 518 tons, from Haiphong, Capt. Kalovis, Kwong Hing, C45. JADE, French, 386 tons, from Hsi-

The Chief Justice: I have considered Wharf. CHUNG ON, Chi., 355 tons, from Wuchow, Capt. Brath, Sai. Hing, wharf. DILWARA, Brita 3,460 tons, from NANKING, Amer. 5,099 tons from

San Francisco, Capt. Dobson, China Mail, AGAMEMNON. Brit. 4.461 tous from Singapore, Capt. Hanney, B. & S. HOI PING, Port., 445 tons, from SHANSI, Brit., 1,228 tons, from Kin Hou, Capt. McCulloch, B. & S., B10. KOOHOW, Brit., 182 tons, from Nuchow, Capt. Jones, K.W., wharf. SOSHU MARU, Jap., 1,008 tons, from Swatow, Capt. Inone, O.S. K., wharf. TENSHIN MARU, Jap., 2,484 tons, from Moji, Capt. Yoshisaki, N.Y.K.

NAM KAM, Chi., 493 tons, from Haiphong, Capt. Thirtwell, Wo Fat, C38. VENEZUELA, Amer., 3,443 tons, from San Francisco, Capt. Yurdley, P.M.S.

wharf. JANUARY 12, 1919. PORTHOS, French, 7,335 tons, from Saigon, Capt. Lauriol, M.M. Co., A4 Buoy. SORACHI MARU, Jap., 1,235 tons from Manile, Capt. Hoda, Y.S.K., B12

JANUARY 13, 1919. CHEROO, Chi., 684 tons, from Haiphong, Capt. Toye, Sam Shing, Buoy TAIWAN MARU, Jap., 1,267 from Sin apore, Capt. Kasai, B9.

YUEN SANG, Brit., 1,128 tons, from

Manila, Capt. Wheeler, J.M. Co., B35.

CLEARANCE.

JANUARY, 11, 1919. MISHIMA MARU, Jap., for Yokohama JADE French, for Haiphong. CHEIAN MARU, Jap., for Bangkok. BHUN CHEONG, Chi., for Kwong KAIJO MARU, Jap., for Keelung. ARABIA MARU, Jap., for Tacoma. CHINHUA, Brit., for Singapore. HAI BONG, Brit., for Foochow,

TERALDINE WOLVIN, Brit., WING HANG, Chi, for Kwong Chow CHUENKINK, Brit., for Saigou.

DILWARA, Brit., for Bombay.

JANUARY 12, 1819. SOSHU MARU, Jap., for Canton. SEKKOW MARU, Japa for Takao. TAISEO MARU, Jap., for Yokoham. PORTHOS, French, for Shangbai. PAUTING, Brit, for Salgon.

JANUARY 18, 1919. TEN HIN MARU, Jap., for Bombay NAM WAY, Port for Hongay. AGAMEMNON, Brit.; for Shanghai. KIYO MARU. Jap., for Valoraiso, VENEZUELA, Amer., for San

rancisco. SHUN CHONG, Chi., for Singapore. TALYUAN, Brit., for Melbourne.

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